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JURISTS FLOUNDER IN TRACTION MAZE

Supreme Court Admits Bewilderment When Avalanche of Talk Is Started by Counsel.

GIVE US LIGHT, ITS PLEA.

Learned Heads Set Throbbing at Opening of City Franchise Fight; Everybody Appeals but Grosscup.

BY RAYMOND.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—By this time the Supreme court of the United States is becoming thoroughly well acquainted with the geography and corporate history of the city of Chicago. First, the justices went over the drainage canal case, then they took up the Van Buren street tunnel, and late this afternoon they began hearing the arguments on the traction cases.

They have been led up, gradually, to the complexity of the street car problems which are now bothering Chicago, and for the next two days, after they have gotten the history clearly in their heads, the learned justices will hear arguments in behalf of the three different sets of persons who have appealed from the decision of Judge Grosscup regarding the operation and limitation of the so-called ninety-nine year act.

Brief has been piled upon brief, and thousands upon thousands of pages of printed record have been put upon the desk of each justice. The traction cases not only are manifold in number but extremely involved, and at the outset it was evident the members of the court were considerably at sea as to what was the exact question involved. Nor were their minds set at ease when they were informed by Brainard Tolles of New York, who opened the argument on behalf of the street car system, that there were so many points involved that he could not possibly consolidate the real issue and elaborate it afterwards.

Learned Jurists All at Sea.

Several members of the court openly expressed their inability to understand what the distinguished counsel was fighting for, even after he had spoken an hour.

The historical sketch is so involved in the various ordinances, acts of the legislature, and court decisions, that when the court adjourned late this afternoon it was easy to see the justices had not been impressed by the oral argument, but were taking the briefs home so as to be prepared at the opening of court tomorrow.

It is likely these traction cases will be argued until Monday or Tuesday of next week. There nominally are four hours on each side, but there are many different cases and five sets of appeals. The city of Chicago, the receivers of the Union Traction company, and the Chicago West Division railway company, as well as the North Chicago railway company, all are represented. In certain cases one group is appellant and another appellee, and in other cases these relations are exactly reversed.

Argument was opened today by Brainard Tolles, who is the special representative of the New York capitalists who put up the money for the purchase of the old companies by the Union Traction company.

After he concludes tomorrow, Clarence S. Darrow, in behalf of the city of Chicago, will make an argument on the jurisdiction of the court and the general powers of the city council in regard to street car grants.

Counsel Loaded with Argument.

Then will come Glenn E. Plumb, also on behalf of the city. He will present his view as to the invalidity of the leases and transfers between the various layers of companies in the Yerkes system which resulted in the final consolidation under the ownership of the Union Traction company. He will also discuss the question as to animal or mechanical power and its relation with the original grants.

Following him, John S. Miller, the particular representative of the receivers, will present their side of the case, holding, as was done before Judge Grosscup, that the original ninety-nine year act superseded the previous grants, extended the life of the corporation, and extended the life of all its existing franchises and subsequent ones as well.

Then comes Edgar B. Tolman, former corporation counsel of Chicago, who will go into the merits of the case, and will detail the effect of the various acts of the legislature and the ordinances of the city council which bear upon the rights of the street car company, and the true construction, as the city sees it, of the ninety-nine year act.

Arguments will be concluded by John G. Johnson of Philadelphia, who has been retained to represent all the interests opposed to the city, and who, therefore, will make the principal speech.

James Hamilton Lewis, as corporation counsel, appears in the case, but will not speak because he entered office after the traction cases all had been argued in the Circuit court.

It is not likely that Mr. Tolman's argument will be reached until Monday afternoon, and Johnson may not speak until Tuesday. The amount of time given and the number of bulky briefs filed sufficiently indicate that the court appreciates the importance of this case to the city of Chicago.

Tolles Bewilders the Court.

The argument begun by Tolles was an attempt to give an historical sketch of the case. It is a pretty big job to condense the history of fifty years of street grabbing into an hour or two of argument. Tolles made a mistake, apparently, in not letting the court know what his history referred to. He made no statement even of the general principles involved, and after he had gone on for a considerable length of time he was brought up sharply by several justices, who intimated in plain language that it was hopeless to attempt to keep up with a running historical sketch when they did not know the points involved and could not possibly understand what bearing the historical acts cited had upon the decree of the Circuit court which the Supreme court is expected to review.

Justice White of Louisiana, for instance, was especially particular in the way of making notes. He started out to follow the history of the traction legislation in Illinois, but toward the end of an hour he threw down his pen in disgust, and interrupted the counsel with the statement:

"I cannot possibly follow your history unless I know what you are trying to show. You have made no statement of the points at issue and until you do it is useless to give us all these facts."

Then Justice Harlan in gentler but none

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SUMMARY OF The Daily Tribune.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 12, 1906.

THE WEATHER—
FORECAST—Generally fair Friday and Saturday, not much change in temperature, light westerly winds, becoming variable.
Sunrise, 7:19; sunset, 4:39. Moonrise, 7 p. m.
CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.
Temperature, max. 38, min. 30, mean 34, normal for the day 22. Excess for 1906, 73.
Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., trace. Deficiency for 1906, .29 inch.
Relative humidity, 7 a. m. 73%, 7 p. m. 85%.
Barometer, sea level, 7 a. m. 30.22, 7 p. m. 30.27.

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The Tribune Want Ads Will Be Found on Pages 11 to 13.

WASHINGTON.

Supreme court justices bewildered by opening argument in traction cases at Washington; stop street railroad lawyer to plead for facts. Page 1.

Chicago congressmen near revolt because Roosevelt recognizes only senators in filling Illinois federal offices. Page 1.

Wall street denounced in senate as gambling club by Heyburn of Idaho; Philippine tariff debate continued in house. Page 5.

Van Buren street tunnel case concluded before Supreme court; Justice Harlan perpetrated sly joke at Chicago's expense. Page 5.

FOREIGN.

Russia must borrow $240,500,000 to meet pressing needs, shown by budget for 1906; 65 revolutionists killed in fight with troops in Baltic provinces. Page 5.

Forty-one leading German professional men signed letter to British press deploring sentiment which threatens to involve two powers in war. Page 5.

DOMESTIC.

Marshall Field's condition reported favorable by attending physician; patient declared not to be in immediate danger. Page 1.

New Jersey woman pioneer as wearer of pantaloons promised to publish letters on psychic love in order to show folly of marriage. Page 1.

McKinney cruelty trial at Aledo, Ill., ended in conviction of woman who tortured girl with toasting fork. Page 4.

Arrest of C. A. Seton revealed inside history of plot to float $4,500,000 of bogus Norfolk and Western railroad securities. Page 5.

Forgery declared chief cause of suicide of Broker Prior of Cleveland; failure may reach $1,500,000. Page 7.

LOCAL.

Doubting Chief Collins' word there was no gambling in Chicago, citizen caused raid on downtown hotel. Page 1.

Amendment to constitution proposed by Attorney John Gibson Hale includes stringent laws on marriage and divorce and on insurance. Page 2.

Norman Carey of Utica, Ill., told police diamond ring had been stolen from his finger while he was unconscious as result of auto accident. Page 2.

Traction companies promised to answer on Monday regarding amendments to franchise ordinances. Page 2.

John D. Rockefeller Jr. sent word he would come to funeral of Dr. W. R. Harper; day's services. Page 2.

Chief Collins declared capture of Frank J. Constantine, alleged murderer of Mrs. Louise Gentry, was near. Page 3.

John Hedlund drinking in his home while jury awarded $17,500 damages to his children against saloons. Page 3.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Sutherland gave reason for pressing charges of graft in city contracts. Page 3.

Former grand jurors formed association to urge reforms in criminal procedure. Page 3.

Voting contest closing kirmess at Orchestra hall resulted in victory for Spanish dancers. Page 4.

POLITICAL.

Convention of reformers discussed various theories of municipal government. Page 3.

Constitutionality of new civil service act upheld and motion to quash indictments overruled at opening of Hildreth trial in Jacksonville, Ill. Page 4.

Deneen's elimination of politics from state institutions startled party spoilsmen. Page 4.

Mayor Dunne in speech at Denver, Colo., declared public ownership movement cannot be stopped. Page 4.

NEW YORK.

Court held Maj. Gen. Brooke not liable for damages for voiding Havana slaughtering franchise. Page 7.

Chief of bureau of weights and measures says many dealers in all lines of business rob poor by giving short weight. Page 7.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY.

Expenditure of $13,000,000 for new mills provided for in proposed merger of large steel and iron companies of south. Page 2.

Railroads ceased to issue free transportation to politicians, but shippers continued to receive passes. Page 7.

Reduction of Argentina wheat surplus caused net advance of ⅛ cent for day. Page 9.

Hogs opened weak, closed steady; cattle steady; sheep, poor demand. Page 10.

Eggs declined 2 to 3½ cents for fresh; receipts increasing steadily. Page 10.

Boxboard common led local stock list in activity; Swift & Co. at 105. Page 9.

Continued profit taking feature of trading in New York stock market; further improvement in money situation. Page 10.

Twelve flat building at Sheridan road and Wilton avenue sold for $45,000, subject to $22,000 incumbrance. Page 13.

SPORTING.

National commission adopted changes in baseball agreement; resignation of J. Ed Grillo from minor leagues forced by President Johnson. Page 8.

Future of college football rests with rulemakers who meet today. Page 8.

Coach Stagg in hospital taking treatment for rheumatism. Page 8.

The Mist won from Gorgaletta in bad weather at Oakland. Page 8.

Jockey Nichol's claim of foul in bumping race at City park not allowed. Page 8.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

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NEW YORK	P. Oskar	Sascatia.
NEW YORK		Brandenburg.
NEW YORK		Armenian.
NEW YORK		Arkansas.

GAMBLERS BUSY; POLICE NAPPING.

Constables, Directed by Private Citizen, Raid a Room at the Windsor-Clifton Hotel.

TEN MEN ARE CAPTURED.

Beginning of Series of Descents on Many Places Where the Gaming Laws Are Violated Openly.

Gambling in several of its popular forms is flourishing again in Chicago. Almost everybody except the police knows it. Chief Collins and his gambling squadrons have not yet discovered it.

It takes the forms of unrestricted and open games in many of the big hotels, some roulette in saloons, and endless strings of "hand books" in all sorts and conditions of places—barrooms, cigar stands, sometimes in laundry shops.

A big raid last night, announced as the initial one of a series, was conducted in the Windsor-Clifton hotel by constables from a south side justice office. It was eminently successful, though the police had no share in it.

Ten men were captured after they had made an effort to escape and were loaded into a waiting omnibus and carried four miles south to the justice's headquarters.

Instigated by a Citizen.

The instigator of the raid was J. A. Kennedy, who says he is a plain citizen.

Being of a suspicious turn of mind—something Chief Collins does not tolerate on his detective staff—Kennedy took quiet exception to the glowing New Year statements of Mayor Dunne that under his efficient police department "the city was free from gambling," and Chief Collins' oft repeated statement that "gambling is dead."

Mr. Kennedy, like many another person not on the city police pay rolls, "suspected" there was bold and unmolested gambling in many of the big hotels—among them the Sherman house, the Morrison, the Saratoga, and the Windsor-Clifton. He decided on the Windsor-Clifton for his "investigations." He arranged with Justice A. V. Lee, 3977 Cottage Grove avenue, to keep open his mill of justice until a late hour last night.

Proceeds to the Hotel.

Taking Constables J. W. Palmer, Martin Burgess, Mike Hanley, and Charles Slater, he drove to the entrance of the Windsor-Clifton at 8:30 o'clock. After stationing a bus at the door the raiding party entered the elevator and was taken to the parlor floor, unquestioned. An obstacle was encountered there in the shape of a waiter emerging from the "gents' parlor" with a tray of glasses.

"That room's private," said the waiter as Kennedy knocked on the door.

A shuffling sound came from within which ceased as the knocking grew louder and more insistent. No move was made to open the door, however.

"Who is it?" said a voice from the inside.

"Open the door," shouted a constable.

By this time the corridor was full of frightened waiters, and as the door did not open Kennedy gave the order to break it down. The four husky constables got into action and the lock snapped.

Ten men, with shades over their eyes, and varying stacks of chips in front of them, sat round a white table and looked annoyed. Three thousand dollars, it is said, was on the table.

"You are under arrest," said Kennedy, placing guards at the door.

"We are just playing for fun," said one of the men. Several tried in vain to escape.

"Fun" Effect Is Spoiled.

"I wish you had come a half hour earlier," said a man with a small pile of white chips. "I would have saved $50." This spoiled the "fun" effect.

The men were herded downstairs into the waiting omnibus.

A rapid drive was made to Justice Lee's court, where the prisoners were booked under the following names: Al Rogers, keeper; Henry George, George Wishare, Charles Huber, S. Bean, Frank Palmer, C. F. Jackson, R. V. Arn, Sam Russell, B. J. Malone. The cases were set until Tuesday. Rogers was placed under $500 bonds and the others under $200 each. The bonds were signed by "Mike" Wasserman.

Kennedy disappeared after he had accomplished the unveiling of the police department shrine. It is a matter of conjecture and casual choice which hotel he will descend upon next. He is said to have an eye especially on the Sherman house.

Chief Explains His Statement.

Chief of Police Collins, when told of the raid, said:

"When I made a statement recently asserting that there was no gambling in Chicago, I referred to public gambling where handbook men held sway; not to gambling in hotels."

When told of this statement from Chief Collins, one of the four constables declared that open gambling exists at the Madison club, May and West Madison streets. The principal form of gambling there is roulette, he said, several outfits being used.

Furthermore, it is known that handbooking is again prevalent. There is a steadily growing call upon the newspapers for "results." The results of the last three California races are not included in the racing card report and handbook men all over the city bombard the newspapers for these returns. THE TRIBUNE receives forty calls a night for this information and all these calls are from gamblers—calls which are refused.

Sheriff May Take Action.

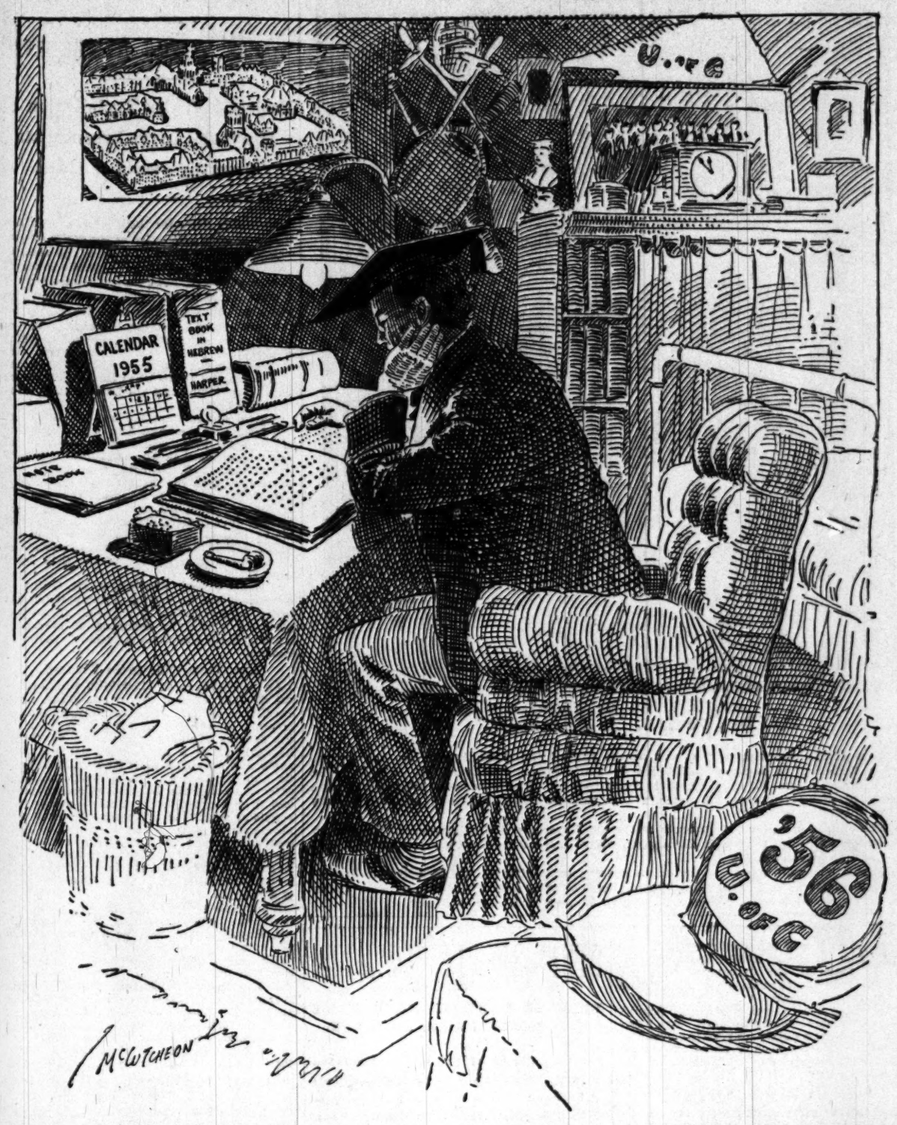
Chief Deputy Sheriff Charles W. Peters declared that an investigation would be made of the report that gambling houses were being run in Cook county along the drainage canal but outside the city limits. Should such gambling houses be found, he said, the sheriff will take steps to close them. According to the report of Drainage Marshal Coen, two such houses are run in Cook county west of Forty-eighth avenue, and one in Dupage county.

PAYS WITH LIFE FOR ZEAL.

Effort to Keep Lights on While Village Is at Festival Fatal to Sick Engineer.

Sheboygan, Wis., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—John Brickbauer, engineer at Elkhart lake electric power house, risked his life last night to keep the lights on until a village festival was over, and lost it. Though fatally ill, he stuck to his post rather than shut down and go home. When he sought help it was too late and he died.

DR. HARPER'S MONUMENT.



PANTS KILL PSYCHIC LOVE.

Now Woman Who Scorned Skirts Will Publish Soul Effusions.

AFFINITY COMES, THEN RUNS.

Finds Trouser Clad Spirit Mate Old and Rich Only in Thought; Flees.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—Miss Susan B. Fowler, Vineland, N. J., who at the age of 28 cast off skirts and donned trousers and at the age of 82 still wears 'em, is about to publish for the uplifting of the carnal world her psychic love letters, written her during a psychic courtship of five years by a psychic lover, George Edward Fowler, a young Englishman, whose subsequent fate after paying one of his visits to the pantalooned lady is shrouded in mystery.

Like Tolstoi, whom she also loves with a lesser psychic love, Miss Fowler lives a simple life. She sells apples, driving a donkey cart, and tills the soil for vegetables, for much of Vineland's soup. Marriage, as it exists today, she thinks, is the crime of the age, and it is to show the world what woman should require of man and man of woman that she has decided to cast the joint Fowler-Fowler psychic product upon the fields of erring souls.

Incidentally, she hopes, too, that the apple cart will be no longer necessary when the returns begin to come in.

Is Pioneer of Pantaloons.

Miss Fowler is one of Vineland's greatest monuments. Before Dr. Mary Walker she was; yes, even before Lucy Stone and Susan B. Anthony. She is the pioneer of pants and all others are but imitators.

When Miss Fowler at the age of 78 announced that she had discovered a true lover Vineland rejoiced with her, but felt poignant anxiety to see him. He was billed as George Edward Fowler of London. He wrote many letters, he seemed to fulfill the psychic bill, and at last he came. He was a big, broad shouldered Englishman, with much more of a look of beef than psychics. Only the spiritual part of him was luggage, which consisted of a small satchel with lots of tags on it. He came, he was seen, he either conquered or was conquered. Any way, he disappeared after a day. Vineland again was racked with poignant anxiety as to his fate. Miss Fowler only smiled sweetly at the question.

"He found in me his psychic love," she said. Incidentally, Fowler the male, was about 40.

Explains Sudden Departure.

Now with the announcement of the intention to publish the letters the lady of the pantaloons also throws light on the mystery of the fate of her lover.

"He had urgent business in London," she said, "so urgent that he had to leave late at night. We had talked all day on the beauties of psychic love. George found me his affinity in everything. Then he had to leave so suddenly. He was to return soon and we were to marry in psychic fashion. I did not hear of him for weeks. Then he wrote me that he had just fallen down a long, steep flight of stairs. I have not been able since to determine if the fall was fatal.

"All my letters have come back to me. I know his family, who does not believe in psychic love, is trying to separate us. I do not know now whether we ever will be married. But it is time to give our letters to the world to show what psychic love is.

"I have had several offers of marriage, and somehow George heard of me in England. He wrote me. It was a strikingly manly letter. My heart and mind equally were touched. I wrote. Our letters, short at first, grew longer. They are now volumes, exhausting psychic love. They will prove a new force to the world.

Rich Only in Thought.

"Then George came—came all the way from London for me. He had thought me rich in worldly goods and was so pleased to find me rich only in thought. He told me with tears in his eyes that his only fear was that he would find me in a sordid atmosphere of wealth, and this had caused him to postpone his visit so many months. He had not fully understood my reference to wealth in my letters. I meant spiritual, psychic wealth. He thought I meant worldly wealth and hesitated, but finally came to find out himself.

"And then, after a brief day, he went away. We both shed tears at the parting.

"'What is the flesh,' wrote George to me just before he came over. 'It is the veil of the spirit. Shall we thicken that veil or shall we lessen it, living only soul to soul on a psychic plane, till the veil is rent and the spirits twain made one, and we wing away to the spirit land. What are the years? Nothing but errors of the flesh. The flesh ages, but the soul is ageless. Your body is 80 years old; mine is but 40. Ah, but our souls are the same age. I call to you my psychic mate, I come to you that we may dwell forever in psychic harmony.'

"That is illuminative of George, unselfish spiritually and pure in psychic love.

Legacy for Girls of Today.

"Of course, we would not have been married by the rites of any church. We would by our own psychic rites. You would not call us husband and wife, but we would have been psychic mates.

"I have the same shrinking from publicity that most women have so far as love letters are concerned, but I have decided that, in view of my well known position regarding woman's sphere, it is my duty to make these letters public so that the young girls of today can profit by the thoughts suggested."

Vineland believes George Edward was a fortune hunter, who thought Miss Fowler rich and eccentric. They think G. E. got just what was coming to him. Miss Fowler, though, believes implicitly in his sincerity. She still takes care of her farm alone. Sometimes the neighbors take a day off and help her catch up with the work, but she has maintained an independence through misfortunes that would have crushed an ordinary woman. She unquestionably has won a warm place in the regard of every resident of Vineland, and the book will have many readers.

FROM COMEDY TO TRAGEDY: MEAT, MAN, AND WINDPIPE.

Boarder Entertaining Children by Catching Morsel in Mouth Chokes to Death After Biting Woman.

New York, Jan. 11.—[Special.]—Ernest Dozois, a man of middle age who had lived for twenty years at Mrs. Annie Boocks' boarding house in Brooklyn, started to play with her three children after dinner tonight. He took a piece of beefsteak from the table and amused them by tossing it in the air and catching it between his teeth, growling while he did so. He did it many times and the children were greatly amused.

At last he began to laugh a good deal himself and while he was laughing heartily he caught and bit the beefsteak again. It went into his throat and caught in his windpipe. Dozois stopped laughing suddenly, making motions with his hands and coughing hard. The children thinking this part of the game laughed all the more and ran to tell their mother.

The woman realized at once what was the matter and forced her fingers down the man's throat in an attempt to extricate the meat. She was not successful, however, and the dying man's jaws closed on her fingers, cutting them to the bone. Dozois died and his jaws had to be pried open to release the woman's fingers which were cauterized to prevent blood poisoning.

HOPE FOR MARSHALL FIELD.

Attending Physician Reports Patient's Condition Favorable.

PNEUMONIA IS NOT SEVERE.

Merchant Suffers from Modified Form of Disease Dr. James Says.

New York, Jan. 11.—[Special.]—Dr. Walter B. James, who is attending Marshall Field, who is ill at the Holland house with pneumonia, called on his patient again at 7 o'clock this evening. After the visit he said that Mr. Field was resting well, and that there was no immediate cause for alarm.

Before he left the hotel Dr. James issued this bulletin:

"Mr. Field is suffering from pneumonia of moderate extent. His condition is favorable, and there is no immediate danger."

In a bulletin issued some hours earlier Dr. James said:

"Mr. Field's condition is unchanged since morning. He is no worse."

Doctor Gives Good Report.

He said no more bulletins would be issued tonight. It would not be necessary for him to call again tonight, Dr. James thought, which indicated, he declared, that Mr. Field's condition at present was satisfactory.

Regarding the coming of Dr. Billings, Mr. Field's family physician, from Chicago, Dr. James said all he knew about it was that Mrs. Field had asked him if he had any objection to their asking Dr. Billings to come here, and he had told her he had none.

Early in the day, after his morning call, Dr. James made this statement:

"Mr. Field's condition is favorable. He is suffering from a modified attack of pneumonia, but there is no immediate danger."

Stanley Field had this to say:

"My uncle is suffering from incipient lobar pneumonia, but the congestion has been slightly relieved. His temperature is reduced. We feel hopeful as to the outcome of the attack."

Passes a Restless Night.

Mr. Field was restless all last night and suffered constantly, but toward morning he got some sleep, and was more comfortable when he awoke. His wife and Mrs. Marshall Field Jr. are at the bedside.

Among those who called to inquire as to the condition of the merchant were Lyman J. Gage, former secretary of the treasury; Paul Morton, head of the Equitable Life Assurance society; Marvin Hughitt, and Harry Rubens of Chicago.

Norman B. Ream, a business associate of Mr. Field, has been constantly at the bedside. There also were telephonic inquiries from members of all the prominent clubs in the city.

Dr. Frank Billings left for New York at 8 o'clock in the afternoon, but his departure was said by John G. Shedd, vice president of Marshall Field & Co., to have no particular significance.

"The fact that Dr. Billings has gone to New York means only that he is Mr. Field's personal physician, and naturally Mr. Field wants him in any illness. I have every reason to believe that Mr. Field will be himself again in a few days," said Mr. Shedd.

Good News Received Here.

He added that two dispatches had been received from New York during the afternoon—presumably from Stanley Field—stating that "conditions are all as favorable as could be expected" and that "Mr. Field is in good condition. Symptoms favorable."

Mr. Field's brother-in-law, Henry Dibblee, said at 10 o'clock that no advices had been received during the evening concerning Mr. Field's condition.

CHICAGO REVOLT OVER PATRONAGE.

Congressmen Indignant Over Roosevelt's Refusal to Follow Their Recommendations.

ALL PLACES FOR SENATORS

Members of the Lower House Made Political Ciphers by White House Policy, and They Resent It.

BY JOHN CALLAN O'LAUGHLIN.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—There is a condition of affairs bordering on revolt among the Chicago delegation in the house of representatives over the policy of the president to recognize only the Illinois senators in making federal appointments.

This condition is not confined to Chicago congressmen, but is general throughout the republican majority in the house, and Representative Overstreet gave emphasis to it in his resignation as secretary of the congressional campaign committee because President Roosevelt chose Senator Beveridge's candidate instead of the man recommended by him to be surveyor of the port of Indianapolis, Ind.

In all large cities throughout the country the administration has ignored the congressmen in the matter of federal patronage, and the latter are feeling keenly the way in which they have been reduced to political ciphers.

When the question of the appointment of a postmaster for Chicago was under consideration, the Chicago delegation favored the reappointment of Mr. Coyne. Its views met with no consideration whatever. Mr. Coyne was turned down and Fred Busse got the place.

Congressmen Not Consulted.

In the federal appointments which now are pending the wishes of the house delegation have not been consulted, and with the possible exception of Representative Lorimer the senators take little heed of their recommendations.

THE TRIBUNE correspondent has talked with a number of Chicago members, and all of them feel that something should be done. There has been talk of holding a meeting and drawing up a protest to the senators, and, if this fails, to bring the matter to the attention of the president.

"During the time I have been in congress," said one member, "five or six of my constituents have been given consular appointments. It is possible I have recommended some of them, because I recommend every one for such an office if his general reputation justifies his aspirations. But my recommendation has as much weight with the senators as the ink with which it is written.

"The truth of the matter is that senators Cullom and Hopkins use the federal patronage for their own political ends. Neither of these senators lives in Chicago, and if it suits them to do so they do not hesitate to appoint to a federal office which is in Chicago a man whose residence is outside the city."

Roosevelt Favors Senators.

That the president does not sympathize with the hostile attitude adopted by the Chicago delegation and other congressmen was shown by his action in appointing Mr. Busse in the place of Mr. Coyne. In making this appointment the president paid no attention to the Chicago congressmen or to the rule promulgated only a few days before by the postmaster general that postmasters should be reappointed without respect to political influence, provided their record justified such action.

In administration circles it is claimed that if the president were to disregard the senators and consult only members of congress he soon would be in a frenzied state of mind. To consult the delegation upon one appointment probably would mean that he would be hauled first one way, then another, and that he would not know what to do. Now he places the responsibility for an appointment upon the two senators, and he insists that the state shall hold them to accountability so far as the political aspect of the matter is concerned. But he reserves to himself the right to refuse to appoint a man recommended by the senators if it should develop that he is unfit morally or otherwise. In Busse's case, for example, the president telegraphed out to Illinois and made inquiries concerning his record.

Names on Chicago Slate.

It is certain the Chicago delegation is to be ignored in the appointments still to be made. What the two senators advise the president will do. As has been stated, it is on the cards to transfer John C. Ames from the marshalship to the office of collector of customs; to appoint Luman T. Hoy to be United States marshal; William J. Cooke to be appraiser of merchandise, and Charles Bent to be pension agent. Senator Cullom will insist upon the retention of Henry L. Herts as collector of internal revenue. Senator Hopkins would like Herts removed and is said to be considerably stirred up over the stiff necked attitude Senator Cullom has adopted.

There has been a disposition on the part of the senators to recognize the Lorimer faction since the appointment of Busse, and this is the reason why William J. Cooke probably will get the appraisership. William Penn Nixon, collector of customs, came to Washington several days ago and has been industriously working in an endeavor to get sufficient support to bring about his continuance in office. But Nixon is slated to go, and Ames undoubtedly will be his successor. In connection with this place the name of H. N. Higinbotham has been mentioned.

More Cash for Postoffice.

The Chicago delegation in the house is not letting its political woes distract it from taking care of the city's interests as far as it is able. The delegation appeared today before the appropriations committee, and, speaking through Congressman Mann, asked for $150,000 to make changes and improvements in and to add some new furniture to the postoffice. Representative Mann specified sixty-one different items requiring attention, among them the construction of a gallery on the first floor of the building half way around, the construction of three additional rooms, the installation of elevators, etc.

The committee suggested that the furniture item be inserted in the general postoffice appropriation bill, and advised the delegation to ascertain the amount needed for furniture, which will be included in the furniture item, and to deduct it from the $150,000. The balance will be recommended for immediate appropriation.

HARPER FUNERAL PLANS COMPLETE.

John D. Rockefeller Jr. Coming to Services Over University Head.

TALK OF HIS SUCCESSOR.

President Faunce of Brown Is the Favorite—Roosevelt Proposed.

John D. Rockefeller Jr. notified the trustees of the University of Chicago and Mrs. Harper yesterday that he will arrive tomorrow morning to assist in arranging for the funeral of the late educator. His father, the founder of the university, however, may not be able to attend the last services.

A message of sympathy was received by Mrs. Harper from Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller Sr. early in the morning, but the contents were not disclosed. It is believed at the university that the founder has not recovered sufficiently from his recent illness to come west.

Mr. Rockefeller Jr., who is one of the trustees of the university, will leave New York this afternoon, in company with Fred T. Gates, business manager of the Rockefeller interests and a trustee of the university. It is expected that they will arrive before the body is placed in state in the faculty room of Haskell Oriental museum, where all the faculty meetings of the university are held.

Roosevelt for President?

Discussion of the selection of the successor to Dr. Harper brought out a statement from one of the university professors that President Roosevelt likely would be considered for the position. He is not a Baptist, being a member of the Dutch Reformed church.

It was declared by the professor that Mr. Rockefeller could be urged to permit a change in the charter of the university whereby the national executive might become the head of the institution after his term of office expires in 1909. The probability of his changing his religious affiliations merely for the purpose of becoming head of the school was held to be out of the question.

It has been prophesied that President Roosevelt will become head of Harvard university at some future date. Such an honor would top off his career in an ideal way.

Place Suited to the Man.

The high ranking of the University of Chicago, the result of Dr. Harper's efforts, and the spirit of the institution, which is in a large measure after the spirit of the national executive, are believed to be worthy inducements for securing his services here.

In the various tributes and eulogies offered since the death of Dr. Harper, the late university president frequently has been compared to President Roosevelt in spirit and in ability. It is believed that the trustees will seek a young man who has ability as an organizer, and who, at the same time, has a strong position in the educational field.

Faunce of Brown Favored.

President William H. P. Faunce of Brown is held by many in university circles to be the favorite for the position. He is a warm friend of Mr. Rockefeller, having been pastor of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church of New York for a period of years, which church Mr. Rockefeller always attends when in New York.

Next to Dr. Harper President Faunce has secured more money from Mr. Rockefeller than any other educator. He has a wide reputation as an organizer, is in sympathy with Dr. Harper's schemes for a "world university," and is still a young man, being 49 years of age.

Services at Harper Residence.

The explicit directions left by Dr. Harper the day before his death were carried out to the letter yesterday in the private rites in the Harper residence. The services were extremely simple and only a few members of the faculty and friends, beside the members of the family, were present.

Dr. T. W. Goodspeed, registrar of the university and one of Dr. Harper's most intimate friends, led the exercises. A time limit was set on the addresses, according to Dr. Harper's directions. Dr. Goodspeed took his watch and announced that not one of the speakers would be allowed to speak a second longer than the allotted time.

Dr. Goodspeed Reads Poem.

Dr. Goodspeed crystallized his remarks by reading a poem, as follows:

Go to the grave in all thy glorious prime,
In full activity of zeal and power.
A Christian cannot die before his time.
The Lord's appointment is the servant's hour.

Go to the grave: at noon from labor cease,
Rest on thy sheaves, the harvest work is done;
Come from the heat of battle and in peace,
Soldier! Go home; for thee the fight is won.

"So a hundred years ago sang the poet Montgomery," he said, "words that might have been written today of our beloved president. Come to the grave in all his glorious prime, in the fullness of his power, at noontime ceasing from his labors."

Dr. Frank W. Gunsaulus, Dr. John L. Jackson of the Hyde Park Baptist church, of which Dr. Harper was a member, and Dr. Charles R. Henderson spoke briefly. Mr. W. H. Sherwood played four selections on the piano of which Dr. Harper was most fond.

Dr. Gunsaulus Pays Tribute.

At the memorial meeting in the Great Northern theater at noon Dr. Gunsaulus paid tribute to Dr. Harper, with whom he had been on terms of intimate friendship for many years. His motif was the unselfishness and the devotion of the educator to his ideal.

"I remember," he said, "when the call came to him at Yale to leave his scholarly retreat, where he was so happy, and come west to the presidency of this great university. He came to me one day and together we walked down under the elms and talked of Chicago and of the opportunities that were open to him here.

"How loath he was to leave his cloister, to give up the pursuit of his studies in which he had become so deeply interested. He had become the most eminent authority of Hebrew of his age, and the hope was held out to him that he would be the leader of the revival of Hebrew learning and literature. He gave it all up, relinquished it cheerfully, even gladly and joyously, when he felt that his Father's business led him to the work of building up the great educational center.

"Dr. Harper's life is a practical ideal, one that may be lived out. There is not about it that which is vague and intangible, nor is it simply a standard as big as ourselves and no bigger; it is an ideal ideal."

At the close of Dr. Gunsaulus' address prayer was offered by the Rev. Dr. Jackson.

Will Be Buried Here.

The body of Dr. Harper will not be buried at New Concord, O., as previously was supposed. It was stated by members of the faculty who were at his bedside shortly before his death that he desired to be buried as near the university as possible. His body will be placed in the receiving vault at Oakwoods until spring.

A rumor was circulated that a mausoleum would be built on the campus, but this was denied by leading members of the faculty. It is probable that a vault will be built at Oakwoods.

The pallbearers will be the male members of the Harper family—Samuel N. Harper and Paul V. Harper, Dr. Harper's two older sons, Robert F. Harper and James Harper, his brothers; Charles S. Eaton, his son-in-law; William Paul, his brother-in-law; Gordon Douglas, his brother-in-law; Charles Rainey, his cousin; and Judson Burns, his cousin. Announcement has not yet been made of the honorary pallbearers.

Other Funeral Arrangements.

Tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock the casket will be transferred from the Harper house to the faculty room in Haskell hall, where it will lie in state until 12:30 Sunday noon. Then it will be transferred to Handel hall under an escort consisting of the university marshal, the university band, the student councils, the university council, and the university senate.

Tickets to the funeral services in Handel hall on Sunday will be by card. The exercises will have a purely university character. In addition to the faculty and friends only a limited number of students and alumni will be admitted.

Students Express Sympathy

Resolutions of sympathy were adopted by the students in all departments of the university and sent to Mrs. Harper. The senior college council advised that a collection be taken up from the students and that flowers be sent by the student body as a whole.

Hundreds of telegrams were received at the residence from all parts of the world. Messages of sympathy came from nearly every college president in the United States. Mrs. Harper was unwilling that the names of any should be given out for publication.

Trustees Hold Special Meeting.

The special meeting of the board of trustees of the university was held at 2 p. m. in the business offices of the university at 135 Adams street.

The only action taken was that for which the meeting was called—the appointment of a committee to prepare a memorial statement of the life and work of Dr. Harper to be placed upon the permanent records of the board and of the university. The committee, which will take several days for the work, was appointed as follows:

Chairman—Martin A. Ryerson.
Vice chairman—Andrew McLeish.
Secretary—Dr. T. W. Goodspeed.
A. C. Bartlett.
Franklin MacVeagh.

None of the questions of administration and policy now confronting the university was referred to at the meeting, which was brief. Until next Tuesday the university will have no acting head. The trustees then will make a selection of an acting president. It is almost certain that Dean Harry Pratt Judson will be given the honor.

Remembered at Northwestern.

At the chapel exercises of Northwestern university Dr. Amos W. Patten spoke of Dr. Harper's connection with the Biblical Research club and also of his work in the American Institute of Sacred Literature.

"It is proper," he added, "that we should express our profound sorrow as an institution that the great head of our sister school has been taken. Dr. Harper was a great force in modern university life. He was a fine Semitic scholar, a remarkable teacher, and an extraordinary administrative officer. His career has been remarkable not only for the development of this leading university but for his wonderful influence in stimulating the study of the scriptures within the last twenty-five years."

Memorial Services Announced.

Word was received by the university officials of memorial services that will be held in New York at Columbia university. It will take place at the hour of the exercises in Mandel hall on Sunday. Three universities—Columbia, the College of the City of New York, and New York university—will take part in the exercises.

Colleges and public schools at Bloomington will unite in a memorial to President Harper this morning at Wesleyan college. President Barnes will preside. President Felmley of the state normal school and others will speak.

The Chicago Press club, of which Dr. Harper was a member, will hold services at 1 o'clock this afternoon. Dr. Shailer Mathews, editor of the World Today and junior dean of the University of Chicago Divinity school, who is mentioned prominently for the presidency of the university, will give an address on "The Literary and Educational Activities of Dr. Harper."

Services also will be held at the North Chicago Hebrew congregation this evening. Dr. Abram Hirschberg will speak on "A Noble Life; a Glorious Death."

Judge C. C. Kohlsaat will be one of the speakers at services in memory of Dr. Harper this morning at Lewis institute.

Students' Company to Present Plays.

Miss Lillian Manning as The Queen in "In a Balcony."

Miss Lillian Manning will appear in the rôle of the queen in the one act drama, "In a Balcony," to be presented by the Dramatic Students' company at its first public appearance on Jan. 20, in the Ravinia Park theater. Two other one act plays will be presented also. "The Silent System," by Brander Matthews, and Charles Lamb's "The Intruding Widow."

The club is composed of students of Donald Robertson, the originator of the project to establish an ideal theater in Chicago, in which undertaking the Chicago Women's club has become interested.

Others who will appear in the club's opening entertainment are Mrs. Elinor Foster-Comegys, Miss Vida Sutton, Miss Marian Redlich, Miss Gertrude Stebbins, Miss Eloise MacMinn, Bruno Schwill, Milton Sills, Waldo Walker, and Charles Squire.

FAIR, 40, AND BANK PRESIDENT.

Miss Katherine Williams of Lima, Ind., Put at Head of La Grange Institution.

Lagrange, Ind., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—Miss Katherine Williams, a spinster of Lima, Ind., is the only woman president of a national bank in this state. She was elected by the directors of the Lagrange National bank today.

On the death of her father she succeeded him as vice president in the bank founded thirty years ago by Solomon Rose, lately deceased. The directors realized her business capacity in handling the large family estate and elected her in preference to Leon Rose, the experienced son of the late president.

She is 40 years old, good looking, and a leader in woman's social and club work.

Chicago Woman Fire Victim Dead.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 11.—Mrs. S. E. Spiesberger of Chicago, victim of the West hotel fire, died in the county hospital today. Benjamin W. Swinsky and Gordon G. Sapp of Chicago are recovering.

STEAL RING FROM FINGER.

ROBBERS TAKE DIAMOND FROM MAN, HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT.

Norman Carey of Utica, Ill., Declares His Gloves Were Removed and Gem Secured While He Was Unconscious in Street, After He Had Been Thrown from Touring Car—Police Work on Case—Reward Offered for Its Return.

The theft of a valuable diamond ring from the finger of Norman Carey of Utica, Ill., who was injured in an automobile accident at Washington boulevard and Western avenue Tuesday evening, was revealed yesterday by the following advertisement:

IF THE PARTY WHO TOOK THE 32D DEGREE masonic diamond ring from the hand of the gentleman who was injured in the auto accident in front of the power house at Western and Warren avenues, at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night, will return same to C. M. Foster, 920 Chamber of Commerce building, he will be suitably rewarded and no questions asked.

Unconscious in the Street.

When the machine, in which he was riding with friends, reached Washington boulevard and Western avenue, the chauffeur ran the auto into a hole in the street. Mr. Carey was thrown from his seat and was knocked unconscious.

He was taken into the power house of the Union Traction company by persons who came to their assistance. He was taken to the county hospital, where he soon was revived. In the morning, before leaving for Utica, Carey told the police his ring had been stolen.

"I had a pair of gloves on when the accident occurred," he said. "I revived slightly while in the power house, and felt somebody taking the gloves off my hands. I think I warned them to be careful with the ring on my finger, and then I did not know anything more until I found myself at the hospital."

Gloves Found in Street.

The police found Carey's gloves in the street. None of the other members of the party was injured. At the address given in the advertisement it was said C. M. Foster was out of the city. The police say the chauffeur had been drinking, otherwise the accident never could have happened, as the excavation was protected by red lights and the boulevard lights were reinforced by moonlight.

Detectives are at work in an endeavor to find the ring.

TWO MIDDIES OF PROMISE TO BE FIRED FOR HAZING.

Worth W. Foster and Pettersen B. Marzoni Found Guilty and Sentenced to Dismissal, Is Belief.

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 11.—It is believed here that Midshipman Worth W. Foster of New Albany, Ind., and Pettersen B. Marzoni of Pensacola, Fla., have been found guilty of hazing and sentenced to dismissal. The record in each of these cases was forwarded by the court more than twenty-four hours ago, and it is officially stated that they are awaiting the action of the secretary of the navy.

Both of the midshipmen belong to the first class and would have graduated on Feb. 12. They are regarded as good students in general, and each had a specialty. Foster devised an improvement in the form of the war nose used on torpedoes, and Marzoni is considered the best linguist in the class.

Midshipman Warren A. Vanderver of Mount Holly, N. J., who has been under suspicion of having protected the midshipmen who were hazing Jerdon P. Kimbrough while Vanderver was on duty, has been released from arrest and restored to duty.

The last stages, except the argument of counsel and of the judge advocate, were completed this afternoon in the case of Midshipman Stephen Decatur Jr. It is admitted that Decatur is in greater danger of conviction upon the last of the three specifications than on the others. This is the one that charges that the accused "encouraged and countenanced" the hazing of Fourth Classman Gaylord Church.

JUSTICE RICKS OUT OF RACE.

Illness Debars Taylorville, Ill., Jurist from Becoming Candidate for Reelection to Supreme Bench.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—Owing to ill health Justice James Ricks of Taylorville will not be a candidate for reelection to the Supreme bench. The announcement was made today in a letter to Charles Boeschenstein, secretary of the democratic state central committee.

PLAN $13,000,000 MILLS IN SOUTH.

Tennessee and Republic Concerns Provide for Development of Steel Industry.

WORK TO BE EXTENSIVE.

Project Includes Exploitation of Mines and Large Investments Covering Period of Years.

Extensive plans for the development of the iron and steel industries of the south are involved in the proposed merger of the Tennessee Coal and Iron and the Republic Iron and Steel companies. The project passes beyond a mere game in the stock market, and provides for an expenditure of $13,000,000 for the building of new mills, the exploitation of mines, and extensive investments covering a period of years. When the plans are worked out, the two merged steel companies will be to the south what the United States Steel corporation and the Lackawanna company are to the north.

Control of the Republic Iron and Steel and the Tennessee Coal and Iron is held by a pool of ten men, who propose as a large business venture to awaken and stimulate southern industries. C. S. Guthrie, who died a few days ago, was the head of the movement, and it was under his direction that control of the two corporations was sought to carry out the development plans. Mr. Guthrie and his associates saw, as they believed, in the south a field ready for development, and chose the industry with which they were most familiar.

It is not known who will be Mr. Guthrie's successor, but he will be a competent man, taken, probably, from the United States corporation. From the company of men controlling the properties a successor will not be chosen.

New Securities to Be Floated.

An expenditure of $13,000,000 will involve the floating of new securities. This, however, is to be done conservatively, as the enterprise is undertaken for a long pull. In the scheme of development John W. Gates has taken but a minor part, although his name has appeared most frequently in public announcements. Mr. Gates was let in after control of the Tennessee Coal company had been secured by the Guthrie people. In acquiring control of this company, stock was purchased at varying prices, but the average cost was around 120. In the last two weeks the same stock has advanced from 134 to 159. Republic Iron and Steel has not specially advanced on this deal, but on its own record of earnings.

When the terms of the merger or operation have been worked out the business of the Republic Iron will be directed toward the south rather than the north, and competition with the United States Steel corporation will not be sought. The Republic has now the finest plant in the south, located at Birmingham. There are one or two other good mills. These are operated at a saving of 30 per cent compared with the operation of old mills of the two companies. There will be no rehabilitation of the existing out of date plants, but new mills will be built and the old ones abandoned.

Believe Railroads Will Aid.

In looking over the southern iron industry it was found that the railroads took but 40 per cent of their rails and other steel and iron materials from the south. It is believed that southern railroads will prefer to aid the development of industries in their own territory—materials and price conditions being otherwise equal.

A part of the plans include the establishment of an immigration bureau and the abandonment of negro labor except in the mines. It is intended to encourage Italian immigration with the view of securing labor which will work throughout the hot season. This the negroes will not do. Again, efforts to secure white labor in the southern iron field have proved unsatisfactory heretofore because of inadequate provision for homes. The white employé was expected to be satisfied with the rameshackle cabin of the negro. In consequence but 10 per cent of such white labor imported could be induced to remain. This will be changed in the new plants. Houses of an attractive character will be furnished white labor, and northern ideas in the matter of house building and environment will be adopted.

Extent of Concerns' Holdings.

The Tennessee Coal and Iron company owns 450,000 acres of coal, ore, timber, and limestone lands. It has twenty blast furnaces, with a capacity of 750,000 tone per annum, and coal mines with a developed capacity of 200,000 tons daily. The Alabama Steel and Shipbuilding company, organized in 1898, is controlled by this company, and has built a large steel plant at Ensley, Ala., with a capacity of 1,000 tons of steel per day, which is leased to this company.

The holdings of the Tennessee Coal and Iron afford some indication of the scope of activity which those who control the corporation propose to exercise.

The Republic Iron and Steel corporation has large holdings of ore properties in Michigan and Minnesota, as well as mines in Birmingham. It has coke properties in Pennsylvania and Alabama and coal properties and coke lands in the same states. It controls limestone properties in Pennsylvania, Alabama, and Ohio. It has three blast furnaces at Thomas, Ala., one at Newcastle, Pa., two at Youngstown, O., and one at Sharon. It has a high class steel plant at Youngstown and a bessemer steel rail mill. At Birmingham, Ala., it also has a high class plant. It has numerous rolling mills in Indiana, Alabama, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Illinois. At Birmingham the company owns 26,000 acres, of which 14,000 acres are underlaid with coal, and 10,000 acres are of ores. It has 800 acres of coke and coal lands in the Connellsville district and 2,000 acres of steam coal in Washington county, Pa.

Control of the Tennessee Coal and Iron was secured through the purchase of the stock of certain members of the so-called Hanover bank crowd. This crowd for years controlled the company and still has a minority interest.

TOPPING IS HEAD OF REPUBLIC.

Elected President of Iron and Steel Company at Meeting in New York.

New York, Jan. 11.—John A. Topping was elected president of the Republic Iron and Steel company today. E. W. Ogleby was elected a member of the executive committee.

Puddling Rate Advanced.

Youngstown, O., Jan. 11.—At the bimonthly wage conference between representatives of the Republic Iron and Steel company and the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, the rate for puddling was advanced to $5.75, an increase of 25 cents a ton. The finishers receive an advance of 2 per cent.

AUTO AMUCK IN QUICKSAND.

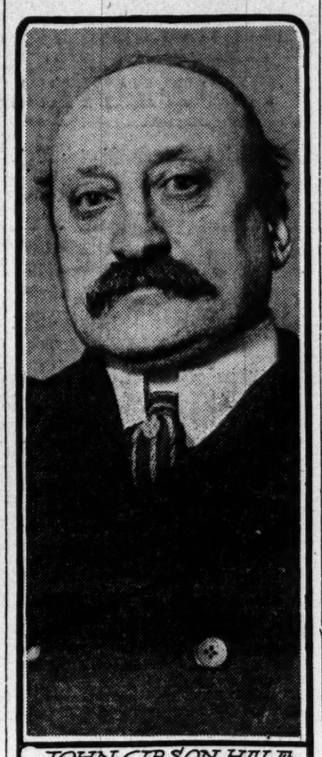
Two Tourists Have a Narrow Escape at a Treacherous Ford in Arizona.

Gallup, N. M., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—An automobile driven by Percy Magargal and David Fasset is fast in the quicksands near Aztec, Ariz. After being warned to keep away from the Rio Puerco ford the tourists attempted to cross on the frozen ground. The crust broke and the auto sank. Both men finally got on solid ground, having a narrow escape. The car has sunk to the headlights. An effort is being made to save it. The accident occurred near the point where three passenger coaches were lost some years ago in the quicksand. A team and wagon were lost in the same ford a few days ago.

Chicago Couple Wed at Laporte.

W. H. Lewis, president of the Lewis Roofing company of Chicago, and Mrs. E. M. Green, also of this city, were married last night in Laporte, Ind.

Lawyer Who Urges Reforms in Laws.



JOHN GIBSON HALE

ASKS LAW ON MARRIAGE.

JOHN GIBSON HALE PROPOSES CHANGES IN CONSTITUTION.

Draft of Bill to Secure Amendment to National Code, Drawn by Chicago Attorney, Includes Many Propositions — Would Prevent Foreign Weddings by Fixing Punishment for Them—Would Prohibit Divorces and Plans Tax on Bachelors.

So sweeping are the reforms thought necessary in our national institutions by John Gibson Hale, the Chicago attorney, who has submitted to the judiciary committee of the lower house at Washington the draft of a bill proposing an amendment to the constitution, that he includes within its scope a variety of questions ranging from the marriage and divorce laws to insurance legislation.

The advocate of the change in the national standard of law is almost unknown to the Chicago bar. He is the son of John B. Hale, a former member of congress from Missouri. He is married and lives with his wife and two daughters, 6 and 13 years old, respectively, at 6455 Monroe avenue. He also has a law office in the Marquette building, where he occupies a room with representatives of a coal company and a wood company.

Defines Proposed Marriage Law.

"The big thing in the draft of the bill," he said, "is regarding the intermarriage of the Caucasian and those of other colors. That question has been upon my mind for several years. It was first called to my attention back in the '80s by a speech of John Ingalls upon "The White Race" at the time of the immigration agitation. Then I became convinced that something must be done to preserve the white race in as pure a condition as possible, and several times I drew up drafts for a congressional bill to cover that point, but I tore them up.

"A month ago I communicated with Congressman Jenkins of Wisconsin, who is chairman of the judiciary committee of the lower house, and he stated that he was willing to consider suggestions along that line. As long as an amendment was necessary I thought the other questions ought to be incorporated in it as well.

"I think the suggestion that a Caucasian should not be permitted to marry a person bearing more than one-sixteenth part of foreign blood ought to be enforced to preserve the white race. The only means by which this could be insured would be by a bureau of registration with the census department, which also could enforce regulations forbidding the marriage of the mentally unsound and those fatally diseased.

Would Punish Foreign Marriages.

"I would see marriages of Americans with members of the foreign nobility punished by the forfeiture of the rights of citizenship and the right of inheriting and holding property, because America is opposed to the idea of royalty and nobility, and should not assist in their support, as it does when foreigners step into our rich families. Divorce should be prohibited, except where the cause ascribed could not have been anticipated before marriage, and especially in those instances where the court believes the welfare of the children of the parties will be subserved by a continuance of the marital relation."

Mr. Hale is in favor of any legislation which will result in an increase of children. He proposes that upon the birth of the first child to a married couple they shall be allowed an exemption from taxation to the value of $1,000 upon their residence, and $500 upon their household property, and that upon the birth of each child thereafter, these exemptions shall be increased by $300 and $50 respectively. He suggests the levying a tax upon all unmarried men over the age of 21 years that may be doubled at the age of 30, and upon divorced and married persons not rearing a child.

Would Tax Those Who Don't Vote.

An annual tax also is provided for those citizens who neglect to vote at their party primaries or at the elections.

Provision is made for the preservation of purely residence districts with the power of local option upon the sale of intoxicants and the erection and maintenance of hospitals, asylums, and factories. The last section of Mr. Hale's draft aims to give congress the power of legislating upon all classes of insurance business.

FIRE PERILS CROWDED JAIL; 9 PRISONERS MAKE ESCAPE.

Inmates of Cells Marched to Barracks—Flames Force Second Eviction—Troops Called Out to Guard.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 11.—During a fire tonight in the four story brick peanut factory adjoining the city jail all of the 275 prisoners in the jail were marched to the police barracks under a guard of police. Nine escaped before they had been transferred to rooms in the courthouse, when the flames endangered the barracks. Among these is Solomon Greenstein, held for perjury in the United States court.

Mayor Riddick called out four companies of the Seventy-first regiment, and they are now guarding the prisoners in Courthouse square. For a time the business section of the city was dangerously threatened by the fire. No fatalities occurred, but several people were injured, among them B. Gray Tunstall, chairman of the street water and drain commission, who was struck by a falling live wire. A silk handkerchief around Police Patrolman W. P. Burnham's neck acted as a nonconductor and saved his life when the same wire struck him. The loss will be over $100,000.

TRACTION LINES DEFER ANSWERS.

Will Announce Decision on Proposed Amendments at Meeting Next Monday.

WAITING FOR MR. MITTEN

Suggestions Made by W. L. Fisher and Other "Outsiders" to Be Ignored.

Although the traction companies were not ready yesterday to say what they would do with the many amendments suggested on Monday to the proposed franchise ordinances, they made it tolerably plain what they would not do. Their representatives reported that the changes asked for in the name of Judge Grosscup are under consideration, but the twenty odd others presented to the committee on local transportation by Walter L. Fisher and his friends are receiving no attention.

Mr. Fisher's criticism of the ordinances was the most radical of all, except perhaps that of George E. Hooker, who wanted all of them thrown aside. Mr. Hooker could conceive of no franchise ordinance at this time which would be good. Mr. Fisher wanted the city to have the right to purchase within five years; he wanted the companies to fix the price of their "ninety-nine year rights" before the ordinances went into effect; he wanted the city to have the right to purchase at any time during the life of the ordinance for the purpose of leasing the lines to some other company; he wanted the city to have the right of constant inspection of the companies' books, and he wanted a number of minor things besides.

Delay Until Monday Asked.

When the committee met, Chairman Werno asked Col. E. R. Bliss and W. W. Gurley, representing the Chicago City and the Union Traction companies respectively, if they were ready to say what the companies would do in regard to the twenty-six changes suggested last Monday. Col. Bliss replied that President Mitten of his company was in New York, but would be back by Monday morning, which would be in time for a committee meeting before the council meeting in the evening.

"There is no use of taking up our matters separately, as they are practically the same as those of the Chicago City railway," added Mr. Gurley, "so I will join with Col. Bliss in asking it all go over until Monday morning."

"Will you be ready at that time?" asked Ald. Foreman.

"At that time the matter can be determined," Col. Bliss replied. "Many of the questions raised at Monday's meeting have been checked up and answered 'No.' All of them were discussed thoroughly in previous committee meetings, and the position of the companies on them is well known. There are two or three questions to be seriously considered before the committee."

Private Views Are Ignored.

Asked by Chairman Werno if he would specify what these questions were, Col. Bliss made this answer:

"We do not consider we have to treat seriously the various criticisms of the ordinances made by the speakers who came before the committee on Monday. There are, however, some other suggestions which come from a judge of the Circuit court of the United States in whose court is the custody of one of these railway properties. Coming with this authority they are, of course, entitled to serious consideration, and they are receiving it."

It is understood the Union Traction company is willing to meet Judge Grosscup's suggestion that $5,000,000 of bonds be retired within three years, and it does not care particularly about the Consolidated road amendment, but the Chicago City railway is not yet decided about the provision that unless all the ordinances are accepted none shall be operative.

Ald. Werno, who was sick when the through routes were agreed on, said he wanted to change route 4 in Wells street, north of Chicago avenue, to Larrabee street, and thence to Lincoln avenue. Mr. Gurley said the committee could suit itself about that.

Universal Transfers Promised.

Then Ald. Eidmann wanted through cars the entire length of Halsted street, but he subsided when it was shown him that the ordinances already provided for this. Here Ald. Werno asked whether a passenger on a through car could transfer to an intersecting line.

"Certainly," replied Col. Bliss and Mr. Gurley in chorus.

"The idea is to give an absolutely universal transfer," Mr. Gurley added.

"If the cars ran all night," Col. Bliss added, "a passenger, under the transfer provisions in these ordinances, could start Monday morning and travel until Saturday night, all for a nickel. As the thing is now, he can cover twenty-seven different lines for 5 cents, and some of the large houses which send out city collectors have been able to route them so that they can start in the morning and keep going all day on one fare."

Bliss in a Merry Mood.

"You ought to put on sleeping and dining cars," suggested Ald. Foreman.

Col. Bliss laughed and answered: "It may come to it that we will be asked to abandon the right to collect fares and be required to furnish free sandwiches, instead."

Ald. Race insisted that the clause about transfers ought to be made plainer on the point of changing from through routes to intersecting lines.

"Rewrite it if you want to," said Mr. Gurley. "That is one suggestion the company will agree to say 'yes' to."

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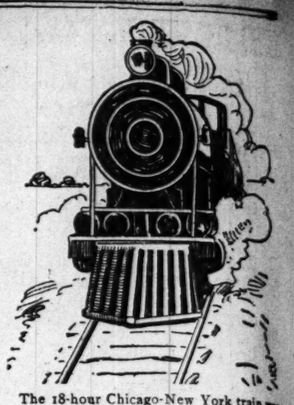

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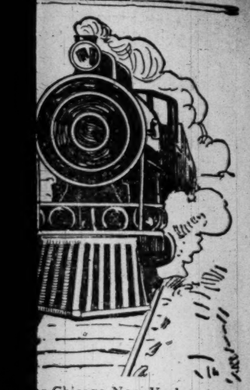

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REFORMERS TALK OF PARTY EVILS.

Various Theories of Municipal Government Espoused at Convention.

BIG CITIES HEARD FROM.

Discussion on Elimination of Politics from City Affairs Set for Today.

At the close of the first day's session of the civic conference now in progress at the City club George E. Cole gave the municipal reform organizations a bit of advice which he thought might prove useful in municipal campaigns.

"There are two kinds of politicians," he said, "private interest politicians and public interest politicians. The way to fight the private interest politicians is to do everything they do except lie, steal, and corrupt voters. If you have to get full to get votes, get full."

The applause may have been for the spirit of Mr. Cole's remark, but it came in such quantities as to allow the conclusion that the other reformers agreed with the letter of it.

Sixteen cities are represented by delegates from their nonpartisan municipal reform organizations. R. Fulton Cutting, president of the Citizens' union, represents New York, Cincinnati and Philadelphia have sent men who were active in the fights against political bosses in both cities, and the representatives of the other cities are from organizations interested in the same line of work.

Preparing the Platform.

Three sessions were held, the last one closing at 10:30 p. m., when reports from all the organizations were completed. The conference today will take up the question of uniting on a general platform, which is expected to deal largely with the proposition of national interference in municipal elections.

The platform committee has the draft of a platform declaring vehemently against interference in local issues by the national parties, and the discussion of the question is likely to be lively.

Control of public utility corporations will afford another subject touching on the question of municipal ownership. Many of the delegates lean toward municipal ownership, if not municipal operation.

The reports were based on a series of questions which had been sent out in advance by Walter L. Fisher, secretary of the Municipal Voters' league of Chicago, asking, among other things, for information to show the effect of national politics on local elections.

Reports from Large Cities.

Most of the answers were given during the day, and the night session completed them. Mr. Cutting spoke briefly on the New York situation, saying that Mayor McClellan had recognized the force of the nonpartisan movement by making some nonpartisan appointments. George E. Hunt of Indianapolis, George W. Gillette of Buffalo, and Charles M. Howard of Baltimore also reported.

From Boston came a despairing cry in the form of a letter from Lawrence Minot, president of the executive committee of the Boston Good Government club. This organization had been asked to send representatives, and Mr. Minot replied, asking, in substance: "What's the use?" Mr. Minot said the Chicago reformers seemed to have lost sight of all the essential points in the propositions, and he didn't believe any active members of the Boston organization would care to waste time coming to the conference. Besides, he said, he didn't think the people gave a rap about government.

Organization Is Formed.

At the beginning of the afternoon session a permanent organization was perfected by the choice of Charles R. Crane, chairman; R. Fulton Cutting of New York, vice chairman, and William S. Moorehead of the Yale City Government club, New Haven, secretary.

Elliott H. Pendleton of Cincinnati, was made chairman of the resolutions committee.

Elliott H. Pendleton, who is president of the Citizens' Municipal party of Cincinnati, led off with the afternoon's reports discussing the cause and effect of the recent election which took Cox out of power. In summing up his ideas Mr. Pendleton argued for the abolition of party emblems in municipal elections, municipal ownership or joint ownership of public utilities, for direct primaries and the abolition of party conventions, for the establishment of civil service in all city departments, and for the referendum and recall.

Conditions in Galveston.

In the absence of the regular delegates from Galveston, Tex., Jenkin Lloyd Jones of Chicago described municipal conditions in that city since its experiences in the flood, asserting that he knew them merely as a visitor. After speaking of the municipal government by a board of seven commissioners, he said:

"Galveston's biggest stroke of good luck was that storm. A calamity of nature sometimes appears as an act of Providence. The flood drowned out or scared away the biggest set of rascals in the country. They always ran cowards. It left Galveston to the citizens, who have built up the best municipal government in America."

Philadelphia, as the scene of a recent municipal revolution, was the subject of two reports, both by men who were leaders in the city party. C. R. Woodruff, one of the Philadelphia representatives, in illustrating the ballot system used there, began by saying:

"We will suppose that you were running your chairman, Mr. Crane, for mayor."

Thereat William Kent applauded loudly and Walter Fisher smiled at the chairman, who appeared undisturbed by the suggested possibility which had been taken up promptly by his friend, Mr. Kent.

Bothered by Politicians.

R. J. Gibbons, the other Philadelphian, said that two conditions were bothering the managers of the city party which had managed to defeat the bosses in the last election. One was the need of money, he said, and the other the operation of the Lincoln party. He explained that the city party and the Lincoln party had worked together, the latter putting up a state ticket. It now is getting control, and, as it consists of old politicians who had been at outs with the dominant republican organization and used the revolt to get back into power, the city party finds that it has a new enemy on its hands.

F. P. Ingram of Detroit reported that city to be pretty decent municipally, but said it wanted home rule.

Prof. Graham Taylor reported for Chicago, declaring this city to have the most independent electorate in the country. He spoke of the "public control of public utilities as imperative."

Conference Closes Tonight.

Mayor Sweet of Grand Rapids related his experiences in giving a nonpartisan administration, thus disappointing his political backers.

"Under the spoils system," he declared, "no public official can give a satisfactory administration to the people."

Delos F. Wilcox described the new Michigan election law as a "brazen piece of partisan legislation."

S. E. Jones took an optimistic view of conditions in Minneapolis, and W. S. Moorehead of Yale described the plane to organize good government clubs in all the universities.

Denver and Kansas City reported optimistically, but A. L. Well of Pittsburg was pessimistic, declaring the city hoss riden and the citizens apathetic.

When adjournment was had for dinner many of the delegates dined together at Hector's, where arrangements had been made for them. The conference will close tonight with a "beefsteak dinner" at the Auditorium.

Owing to the death of E. Crane Wilson of Wilson Bros., 332 to 338 Fifth avenue, their store will be closed all day Friday, Jan. 12, 1906.

INQUIRY TO BLOCK SUITS.

REASON FOR PRESSING GRAFT CHARGES EXPLAINED.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Sutherland Declares Investigation Into Alleged Frauds in City Contracts Is Being Made in Efforts to Defeat Claims for Extras of Weir & McKechney — Comes Before Court for Another Hearing.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Sutherland gave one of his reasons yesterday for pressing the charges of graft in city contracts, which now are being investigated by the Cullerton committee. It was that the exposure will have a good effect when the Weir & McKechney suit for extras comes up in the courts for another hearing.

"This publicity," said Mr. Sutherland, "ought to have an awakening effect, when the case is tried again, and perhaps it will not be so easy for the plaintiffs to get another of these outrageous verdicts."

In the meantime, he is anxious that suit be brought against ex-Mayor Carter H. Harrison, ex-Controller William D. Kerfoot, and present Controller Lawrence E. McGann, to recover from them the money which already has been paid Weir & McKechney and Joseph Duffy on their northwestern land tunnel work.

"There ought never a cent of that money to have been paid," declared Mr. Sutherland. "It was all illegal payments and under the law, where officers of a municipality pay out money illegally, it can be collected back from them as well as from the people to whom it was paid."

Council's Order Not an Excuse.

"But in some instances this money was paid on orders of the city council," was suggested.

"That makes no difference," declared the assistant corporation counsel. "Mr. Kerfoot ought to have known the payments were illegal and disregarded the orders of the council."

Asked if he had any intention of also bringing suit against the city council for authorizing the payments, Mr. Sutherland replied that could not be done, as the council was a legislative body. Executive officers, however, he said, were liable.

Mr. Sutherland laid great stress on his claim the contractors were not only not entitled to any extras, but to any payments at all, because they had not kept their contracts, and when asked if they were not entitled to be paid at least for the work they had done, he declared:

"Not a cent. If a man contracts to build you a house on certain plans and does not keep to his contract, you do not owe him anything."

"You do if you go in and occupy the house," was suggested, "and the city took over and is using these tunnels."

"Yes; that is so," responded Mr. Sutherland. "What the city ought to have done was to have rejected the work the moment it was found to be contrary to contracts. Then it would not have owed these contractors a cent. But that was not what was done. Not only were the contractors allowed to go ahead, but they were allowed to pile up bills for extras."

Explains Own Bill for Extras.

Speaking of his own bill for extras, put into the finance committee four years ago, when he asked for $25,000 in addition to his salary for defending these many damage suits, Mr. Sutherland said:

"I asked for the money because I felt I was entitled to it. I had been working for $4,000 a year and given the city loyal and valuable services, while special counsel were getting more for single cases. I had saved the city many hundreds of thousands of dollars, and had I been working for a private client would have been paid much more. It was only a just demand."

City Engineer Ericson made a report in the afternoon as to the charge of Mr. Sutherland that when the city took over the work of completing the Sixty-eighth street tunnel from Ross & Ross it paid that firm $60,000 for machinery which cannot now be found.

His investigations showed that the original cost of the machinery to Ross & Ross was $6,000, and the city allowed the contractors $3,000 for it instead of $60,000.

McGann Talks of Charges.

Speaking of the claim that the money paid to the contractors could be recovered from ex-Mayor Harrison and his controllers, Mr. McGann said:

"There was not 1 cent paid out of the city treasury, while I was commissioner of public works or controller, and the records clearly show it. We fought every payment to these contractors, and that is why the matter was taken into the cours. I cannot understand the motive for such reflections on men of good character.

When the Cullerton committee meets, probably next week, it will also take up charges of collusion among street contractors, Mr. Sutherland claiming to have evidence that in one case at least, that of Laughton street, the three bidders, the R. F. Conway company, the Garden City Paving company, and A. J. McBean & Co., agreed among themselves that the winner should pay a certain sum to the other two.

MARRIAGE CONTRACT FILED AS DIVORCE SUIT EVIDENCE.

Agreement Purporting to Show Pledge of Thomas L. Foley and Anna G. Conklin Put on Record.

An unusual marriage contract was filed yesterday in the office of the county recorder. It will be used as evidence, it is said, in a divorce suit filed in the Superior court Dec. 5 against Thomas L. Foley, an attorney, with offices in the Hartford building.

The instrument follows:

We, the undersigned, being unmarried and of legal age, and there being no impediments to prevent, hereby mutually agree and bind ourselves in the presence of witnesses to take each other as husband and wife, and promise each other to do our full duty toward each other. At Hammond, Ind., May 20, 1903. THOMAS L. FOLEY, ANNA G. CONKLIN.

Witnesses: Mrs. Lovise E. Cady and David W. Smith.

At the time of the filing of the divorce bill Foley denied that he had been married to the woman. The divorce proceedings will be reached for hearing soon.

WOMAN FOUND DEAD ON STEPS.

Police Believe Alcoholism to Have Caused the Death of Unidentified Person.

The body of an unidentified woman was found late yesterday afternoon lying on the steps of the Pullman company's supply warehouse, 31 West Fifteenth street. The police believe death was due to alcoholism.

She was a Pole, apparently about 36 years old, and dressed plainly. A passerby saw her in a reclining position on the steps and telephoned to the Maxwell street police station that she was under the influence of liquor. When the policemen approached her they found that she was dead. None of the residents of the neighborhood, which is peopled by Poles and Lithuanians, knew her.

The body is now lying at the county morgue awaiting identification. The only distinguishing mark upon her is a disfiguration of the little finger on the left hand, which is twisted as if it had been broken and improperly set.

MRS. LUDINGTON NEAR DEATH.

Physicians Declare Woman, Well Known for Philanthropic Work in Chicago, Cannot Recover.

Mrs. Nelson Ludington, a resident of Chicago since 1850, and widely known in social and philanthropic circles in the early days of the city, is seriously ill at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Charles J. Barnes, 297 Ontario avenue. Dr. Philip Doane, who is attending Mrs. Ludington, holds out no hope that she will survive her illness, and friends and relatives are awaiting the end. Her granddaughter, Mrs. J. Clinch-Smith, sailed last week from Paris, and a wireless message was sent to her vessel in midocean yesterday telling her of Mrs. Ludington's serious condition.

Children of John Hedlund, Victim of Drink, Get $17,500 Damages Against Three Barkeepers.

[From a photograph taken for THE TRIBUNE.]

GURNER. CARL. MARY ESTHER. WALDO.

EXPECTS TO TAKE SLAYER

CHIEF COLLINS DECLARES ARREST OF CONSTANTINE NEAR.

Realizing Reputation of Department Is at Stake, Police Redouble Efforts to Capture Man—Alleged Murderer Is Called Degenerate and Is Said to Have Written Letters Himself Which Purported to Come from Wealthy Father.

Realizing that the reputation of the department is at stake in the capture of Frank J. Constantine, alleged murderer of Mrs. Louise Gentry in her flat at 582 La Salle avenue last Saturday, Chief of Police Collins yesterday redoubled his efforts to trace the young Italian. As a result of his search he announced confidently last night that the capture was certain, although he would not admit that he had a direct line on the murderer.

Several opinions were set forth by the chief as to the character of Constantine.

"I have come to believe that he is a degenerate, a moral pervert," he said. "It is also one of my opinions that he is a forger, and, although nothing has turned up yet to prove that, I expect it will. In Pittsburg he gave a man a check for $200 after he had drawn out all his bank account.

"The man loved to pose. He made a big front on a little money. It was a trick of his to pull out a $5 bill when he got his shoes shined. He hired cabs to make his calls in. We have the country thoroughly covered and are certain to get him."

Says Reward Offer Is Unnecessary.

Some indication of the confidence of the police is shown in the reception of an offer made by A. W. Gentry, husband of the murdered woman of a reward of $1,000.

"The chief told me there was no need of it at once," said Mr. Gentry, "as they expected to get the man within twelve hours."

The police insist on guarding the identity of the woman who furnished the accurate description of Constantine, even down to the size of his shoes. This woman was made known to Assistant Chief Schuettler through her attorney. She was a friend of Constantine, and never knew Mrs. Gentry. Schuettler had an interview with her in the attorney's office, but declares that nothing beyond the description was of any value in the woman's information.

Among the letters which were found in the Gentry residence belonging to Constantine was one which he had written to himself. This was made known by Inspector Lavin in the afternoon, who declared the young man had written it and taken it downtown and sent it to himself by special delivery.

Wrote to Self for Effect.

"It is easy to see it is in his own handwriting," said the inspector. "It was written for effect in his game to get money out of Mrs. Gentry."

This is the letter:

My Dear Frank: I am glad to hear you are having such a good time in Chicago, although we think you should come back home soon. You are spending a good deal of money, but as long as you like to travel and do not go to extremes I am willing to keep my promise. Lucy has complained that she has not heard from you often since you left home. She told your sister that she had only received four letters since you went away. Have you found some one else in Chicago? I think in time you will come to see the wisdom of my action. I suppose you will be going to Kansas City soon, and if you need any money let me know. Be careful and do not get into trouble. Write more often. Your loving father,

JOHN J. CONSTANTINE.

Veiled Woman Visits Police.

Inspector Lavin had a visitor in the morning, a woman closely veiled. She remained in conversation with him for half an hour. The inspector said that it had nothing to do with the Gentry murder.

NEGRO ORATOR WINS PRIZE.

Eugene J. Marshall of University of Wisconsin Victor in the Hamilton Club Contest.

Eugene J. Marshall, the negro orator from the University of Wisconsin, won first place last evening in the annual Hamilton club oratorical contest, which was held in Steinway hall. His subject was, "Hamilton and the Constitution." Second place was won by Jacob Cantlin of the University of Illinois. His subject was, "An Estimate of Hamilton."

CHINESE BOY BECOMES WARD OF MAN WHO BEFRIENDED HIM.

Van Pilmore, 11 Year Old Boy of Bay City, Mich., Finds Old Friend in Sing Lem of Chicago.

Chinatown was thrown into excitement yesterday afternoon when an 11 year old white boy appeared among the Celestials, and, conversing with them in their native tongue, asked where he could find Sing Lem. The surprise was so great that many Chinese refused to talk to him. Then one of them volunteered the information that the lad would have to see Hip Lung, "the mayor of Chinatown." He went to the store.

As the white boy entered the store, Sing Lem, who is a clerk for the "king of Chinatown," ran into the store and instantly there was merry making.

Quizzical Chinamen gathered around the two boys. They wanted an explanation. The white lad told in Chinese the following story:

"My name is Van Pilmore. My father was United States marshal in Michigan. Sing Lem came up before the courts there. He was delivered into my father's care. He studied English and I studied Chinese. We were friends and I hated to see him go, when his cousin in Chicago sent for him."

Lem Ching, the cousin, was summoned from his house, 321 Clark street. He vouched for the story the lad told. Mr. Pilmore, who was with the boy, was at once made a guest of the celestials. He was served with a mandarin dinner.

"Do you want to go back to Bay City with me?" asked Mr. Pilmore, as he left Chinatown.

"Yes, sir, please take me back; please take me back; I want to study again with Van."

The Chinese boy's pleas were too much for the cousin. As a result, Sing Lem hastily packed his trunk. This morning at 11 o'clock he will leave Chicago for Bay City, Mich., where he will again become the ward of Mr. Pilmore.

FALLS IN LOVE FORTY FEET.

William Venning's Wrist Is Broken by His Tumble, but His Hopes Are Still High.

William Venning fell in love. It was a hard fall of forty feet. When he landed his left wrist was broken and he was bruised about the body. But he was not heartbroken.

Venning is a machinist employed by the Semet-Solvay Coke company in South Chicago. While riveting some steam pipes yesterday his mind wandered to a South Chicago maiden whose name he would not disclose.

"I was walking along carelessly 'way up on that high pipe line," he said to the doctor afterwards, "and wondering if the girl really did love me, when my spirits took an awful tumble, and my body, too. I forgot I was living until I woke up in the ambulance.

"I guess when she hears I'm in the hospital I'll soon find out whether she loves me or not," he added. "I'm thankful my right arm is still useful, so that I can write and tell her all about it."

This is the only explanation Venning or any one else can give as to how he fell from the steam pipes on which he was working.

BASEBALL MANAGER TO WED.

Jake Stahl of the Washington American League Team Will Make Banker's Daughter His Wife.

Chicago friends of Jake Stahl, manager of the Washington American league baseball team, learned yesterday of his engagement to Miss Jean Mahan, daughter of Henry W. Mahan, president of the Drexel State bank.

The engagement was kept a secret for a while, but it became known in California, where the Mahans are spending the winter at Pasadena. Stahl, who lives at Bloomington, Ill., left last week for Pasadena and the wedding will be celebrated at the winter home of the Mahans on Jan. 24.

The romance which culminated in the engagement began in Elkhart, Ind., several years ago, and while the friends of the two young people knew of their acquaintance, the announcement of the engagement was a surprise. Mr. Stahl and his wife will return to Illinois on Feb. 15.

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PENAL CODE IS ASSAILED.

FORMER GRAND JURORS UNITE TO URGE NEEDED REFORMS.

Petty Cases, They Declare, Should Be Disposed Of in Court of First Resort Without Formal Indictments—Larger Appropriation Needed for the Expenses of the State's Attorney's Office—Comparison Made Between New York and Cook County.

Probably the first grand jury meeting ever attended by reporters, unless they were suspended invisibly from the ceiling or clinging to precarious positions outside the windows, was held last night at the Great Northern hotel. This meeting was a sequel to one held in the Hamilton club on Dec. 18, when the call for all former members of grand juries in Cook county to get together and consider reforms was sent out by C. E. Bonnell.

A permanent organization was effected, to be known as the Grand Jurors' Association of Cook County. The reforms which these men have had on their minds for some time were put in the form of resolutions.

The report of the committee which has been working since the former meeting said among other things:

"A large proportion of the cases which are brought before the grand jury are petty cases, involving damages of from $1 to $10, and they are filling the jail with men and women who must wait weeks and months for trial and then be liberated because of inability to try them.

Police Courts Are Blamed.

"It is impossible in the time allowed to investigate the cases properly. The fault appears to lie in the inefficiency of the police courts, from which petty cases are sent to the jury instead of being disposed of, and partly from the failure to provide sufficient help for the state's attorney.

"Courts of first resort should be instituted, presided over by judges who know the law, and where assistant state's attorneys shall appear to examine complainants and witnesses, and where all cases should be disposed of involving only fines and jail sentences.

"Grand jurors should be impaneled for the full term of each court, instead of for two weeks. This would enable them to hear the evidence fully and clear the docket each month. A grand jury always should be in session except in vacation time, so that important cases could be heard without delay. The state's attorney should be allowed a sufficient number of assistants, expert interpreters, and a stenographer always should be in attendance."

Comparison of Big Cities.

In speaking of the financial appropriation for the criminal courts the report says the amount of money appropriated is insufficient and the grand jury is a travesty on its original purpose. In a comparison with District Attorney Jerome's expense account these figures are shown:

	New York.	Cook Co.
Salary list	$250,000	$72,000
Office force	130	20
Murder cases last year	60	120
Expense fund in New York	$ 50,000	$ 8,000

"In other words," the report concludes, "with five times the number of men and three times the amount of money, the New York office does but 90 per cent of the work done in Chicago."

Other societies of reform and civic improvement are to be asked to assist the former grand jurors in bringing these proposed reforms to some practical end. C. E. Bonnell was made president, J. C. Cannon vice president, and Eugene H. Wimpfheimer secretary-treasurer.

ELKS GIVE DEDICATION BANQUET

Members from Middle West Guests of Chicago Lodge at Banquet at Auditorium.

Elks from all over the middle west united with Chicago lodge No. 4, B. P. O. E., last night in celebrating the dedication of the new Elks' headquarters at 163 and 165 Washington street, in a banquet at the Auditorium. Five hundred brothers sat down in the banquet hall an hour before midnight and remained until after dawn. Toasts were responded to by J. U. Sammis, chairman of the committee on laws of the grand lodge; Samuel Alschuler, Aurora lodge No. 705; Arthur C. Moreland; and Charles Beecher Lahan, past exalted ruler of Chicago lodge No. 4. George D. Anthony, exalted ruler, was toastmaster.

VICTIM OF LIQUOR DRINKS TO RUIN.

"Celebrates" When $17,500 Verdict Is Given Against Three Saloon Men.

WIFE'S WARNINGS IN VAIN

Damages Awarded to Five Children of John Hedlund, Once Prosperous.

With three boon companions gathered in his house from neighboring saloons, John Hedlund last evening drank to his own downfall. A verdict of $17,500 had been awarded to his five children a few hours earlier against three saloonkeepers charged with selling liquor to him after they had been warned by his wife. The jury had been told that Hedlund's passion for drink had ruined the home life of the family.

The wife and children returned to the house, 6043 Cottage Grove avenue, weary with the strain of the court proceedings before Judge Tuthill. Their feet were on the threshold when the sound of thick voices came from within. Thoughts of scenes in other days and of the testimony they had given in court thronged to their minds. They opened the door.

A man with swollen face and disheveled hair arose from a chair in the gloomy kitchen. It was Hedlund. His companions sank back on their seats and looked sullenly at the floor.

"What you waiting for, you, there?" cried Hedlund. "Stop your talking among yourselves. I'm hungry. It's past supper time. Come in here and get my supper."

He took his weary wife by the arm and jerked and shoved her into the room, while the children looked on in terror.

Recompense for Lost Happiness.

And so the five children—two girls and three boys—were given $17,500 by the jury as recompense for their lost happiness. Hedlund once was a prosperous carpenter. One night five years ago he returned from work drunk. The wife and children cared for him, hoping this meant only the one experience. But in the days to come the man was overcome by his passion for drink.

His wife testified in court that she went often to the proprietors of the saloons most frequented by him, warning them not to sell liquor to him. Her pleas and appeals, she said, were disregarded. Her husband got drink as long as he had money and he got more on credit after that. The family never was free of the burden.

Then, Mrs. Hedlund told the court, the children were compelled to go to the saloons when their father was unable to make the trip himself. Three saloonkeepers, she said, had offended in particular and the verdict runs against them. They are Oscar Geyor, 1134 West Fifty-ninth street; Ernest Thoren, 5822 Center avenue, and Louis Lundquist, 6058 Morgan street. The Hedlunds formerly lived in the neighborhood of the places.

Award Brings Little Joy.

The large award brought no joy, no sense of victory to the family last night. The thought of the ruined father constantly came as a dark shadow obscuring what pleasurable visions of better times the verdict might awake.

Mary, the oldest girl, was glad for the victory in the court. But she expressed the feelings of the family when, putting her face into her hands, she sobbed bitterly.

"We must be thankful for this help," she wept. "But you see it can't make our father what he was to us once. O, if we could be happy together again, and if papa only would stop drinking and be kind to us, I wouldn't want the money at all."

Mrs. Hedlund still showed devotion to her husband.

"I don't know where he got all his liquor," she said. "It seems as if he cannot stop now."

In the kitchen Hedlund and his companions had not finished their drinking. The head of the house did not know exactly what had happened, but he pledged the health of his friends anew from a pail of beer.

Verdict a Remarkable One.

The case is a remarkable one in the records of the courts. Few verdicts ever have been given to children for damages suffered from saloonkeepers. The saloon men said they would succeed in getting a decision more favorable to them in a new trial which they will seek.

The condition of the Hedlund family first was brought to the attention of the authorities by Miss Caroline Blinn of the University of Chicago settlement. While acting as probation officer she found the children in destitute circumstances and was instrumental in having the cases started against the saloonkeepers. The children have been compelled at times to go after beer for their father.

This is one of the few cases where damages have thus been awarded to children.

ENTICER OF SCHOOL GIRLS GETS PENITENTIARY TERM.

Henry A. Swan the Second Man Convicted of This Crime Through the Efforts of Supt. Bodine.

Henry A. Swan, 35 years old, 2900 Princeton avenue, was convicted yesterday in Judge Barnes' court on charges preferred by little girls of the Webster school district, and was sentenced to the penitentiary for fourteen years.

Swan was arrested some time ago on warrants sworn out by Supt. Bodine of the department of compulsory education, accusing him of enticing little girls to his room. Thomas Afseo, charged with a similar crime, was sent to the penitentiary recently after investigations which were made by Supt. Bodine.

"This is the second man I have prosecuted successfully for enticing schoolgirls," said Mr. Bodine last night. "Men of the Swan type must understand that the schoolgirls of Chicago are to be protected always. Prosecution will be conducted diligently from now on because the legislature recently passed a law which makes it a penitentiary offense to entice or tempt girls under 16 years of age."

POSITIONS PROMISED FOR 'FEE.'

Chief Collins Is Told That Politician Asks Money from Eligibles for Police Force.

Chief of Police Collins was informed yesterday by Ald. Scully that the probable increase in the force of the city police department this year is being used by a politician to obtain a small "fee" from hundreds of eligibles on the civil service list and from those who served in the strike as temporary policemen.

The identity of this man is not known, but it is said that he is collecting $10 each from many of the 800 former policemen who hope to get a permanent place upon the force, telling them that he will "fix it up" for them.

"Any man on the eligible list or who wants a position in the police department," said Chief Collins, "is foolish to give any one 10 cents in this way. All the eligibles who are approached in this way should report a description of the man at once to the police."

SMALLPOX AGAIN IN CITY.

Health Inspectors Find Symptoms of Disease on Grant Moore, Street Car Conductor.

Smallpox has appeared again in Chicago after an unusual dearth of the disease for the last six months. No cases of the disease had been found since Oct. 15 within the city until yesterday, when the inspectors of the department discovered symptoms of the disease upon Grant Moore, a street car conductor, 1936 Washington boulevard.

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GROSSCUP HAS NO PLACE FOR A "LEISURE CLASS."

Judge in Address Says Man Was Created to Work—Laments Death of Dr. Harper.

"God never ordained that there should be a leisure class," said Judge Peter S. Grosscup of the United States Circuit court last night in an address in the new Hyde Park Baptist church. "It is pull, pull, pull at the oars, upstream all the time. God intended that men should work."

Judge Grosscup's subject was "The Public Conscience and the Church." He said the financial investigations and scandals are not significant of a degenerating age, but show the world is growing better.

"A century ago bribery was an acknowledged feature of parliamentary process," he said, "when the esteemed William Pitt, according to history, divided the public's purse with his colleague."

In closing his address, Judge Grosscup paid a tribute to the memory of President Harper of Chicago university.

"Because of the death of this great man it seems as though the world were different today than it was day before yesterday," he said, "as though one of its lights had gone out, or one of its sign posts removed. He was a great investigator, a renowned scholar, a profound creator, but greater than his scholarship, greater than his imagination was his confidence that God had put in his trust that strong, noble brain. President Harper showed his strength of character by the humble submission in which he met death."

FIVE BARS ARE THE FEATURE OF THE THESPIAN CARNIVAL.

Few Actors and Actresses Attend Dance Given by Them at the Coliseum—10,000 Persons Are Present.

Five bars in active operation, one of which was located near the center of the dancing floor, were the feature of the first so-called "thespian carnival," which was held at the Coliseum last night. Although the dance was supposed to be given by the actors and actresses now appearing at the local theaters, the hall was crowded early in the evening, long before the various theaters had finished the performances. A majority of those present were of another set, "Abe" Arends, a notorious character, who keeps a saloon at 2016 Dearborn street, appearing to be in general charge.

The grand march was led by an automobile in which were a dozen young women who apparently never had seen a stage. After the march the hall filled rapidly, and before an hour between 8,000 and 10,000 persons crowded into the hall. Some dancing continued until late in the morning.

The bars did an unlimited business, the authorities having kindly "extended" the 1 o'clock limit.

ASKS MORE CITY LEGAL AIDS.

Department Seeks Three New Assistants and $10,000 Additional Salaries.

To carry out Corporation Counsel J. "Ham." Lewis' "aggressive" policy three additional assistants to the legal forces of the city for 1906 are sought by the city law department. Two more law clerks and a docket clerk to fill a new position will be asked. The estimate for the department, which will go to the controller soon, it was said yesterday, will ask increases in salaries of $10,000.

Duluth Calls Chicago Preacher.

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 11.—The First Baptist church of this city has extended a call to the Rev. S. L. Mitchell of Chicago. He will preach here next Sunday and make a decision.

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SPANISH DANCERS WIN AT KIRMESS.

Cribside Affair in Orchestra Hall Closes with Animated Voting Contest.

BALLOTS BRING IN $5,385.

Total Receipts $28,000; Children's Memorial Hospital Will Get $20,000.

"Twelve hundred votes for the Spanish," came the voice from the megaphone, as Teller Preston Gibson walked down the isle and deposited $120 in the silver casket. It was near the closing hour of the final performance of the Kirmess in Orchestra hall last night.

Mrs. John B. Murphy led the Spanish dancers into the limelight, and they whirled through the steps of a dance of joy with jewels glinting and jetted skirts glittering.

"Two thousand and fifty votes on Fantana," proclaimed Teller Gibson. A shout went up from Fantana's corner on the stage, and hats and canes went up with it.

"One hundred and fifty on the Dutch," came the shout from Teller Frederick McLaughlin. The wooden shoes raised a tumult.

"Three thousand on the Indians," announced Teller W. W. Keith.

"Whoop, whoop, whooo—whoo—whoop!" came the cry from the Indians as twenty braves in tawdry paint swung into the war dance, circled the stage, and then fell back into the shadows of the summery garden to await the next announcement.

"Forty-five on the Indians," "50 on the Indians," "500 on the Indians," came the cries. The squaws broke into a song of triumph.

Fantana Leads by 712 Votes.

The vote on the blackboard showed Fantana in the lead by 712 votes. The Indians had captured 8,255 votes as against the 8,967 for Fantana.

The Chinese dance was losing ground; the Spanish señoritas were forging to the front. The returns from any precinct might change the final result. The whole stage broke into song. The spot light flittered hither and thither like a lost firefly.

Teller Herbert Stone walked down the main aisle, ascended the steps to the stage, and whispered in the ear of Election Commissioner John B. Kitchen.

R. T. Crane Jr. signaled for silence, and Mr. Kitchen strode into the glare of the footlights.

"Mr. Stone announces," he said, "that he holds 5,000 votes for the first dance to receive 1,000 votes."

"One thousand on the Spanish," came the cry from the edge of the long tier of boxes.

"Five hundred more for the Spanish," echoed Teller Clive Runnells.

"That makes 6,500 more votes for the Spaniards," announced Commissioner Crane as he bulletined the latest returns on the huge blackboard.

Spanish Enter the Lead.

Spain was in the lead with 10,389 votes.

"One thousand for the Indians," came the cry. The Indians sprang up and danced in praise. Their total vote was 9,655. Fantana had dropped to third place.

"Five hundred for the Indians," came a voice.

"Another 500 for the Indians," roared a megaphone.

The Indians had outstripped the Spaniards, and pandemonium broke loose in the camp of the savages. The Indian vote was 10,655.

"Three thousand votes for Fantana!" shouted Teller Stone. Fantana had regained the lead. John Peckham slapped Adolph Babcock on the back, and Perry Kenly did a cake walk. Fantana's vote was 12,467.

Spanish votes began to fall on the stage like snow in a gale. The polls were closed. The Spanish dance had won by a plurality of 892 votes.

Winners March in Triumph.

Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. Honoré Palmer, Mrs. George McKinlock, Mrs. Ashbel Newell, Mrs. William R. Odell, Mrs. Joseph G. Coleman, Miss Katherine Jones, and Mrs. Joshua Holden and the eight banderillos marched in triumph to the edge of the stage, received the ribbons of victory, and danced into the wings. The other dancers joined in the triumphal march.

The gates of the summer garden closed behind the last straggler and the Cribside kirmess was over. The voting contest alone netted the Cribside society $5,385.

The final vote stood:

Hours dance	1,771	Dutch	1,705
Seasons	1,187	Spanish	13,350
Irish	2,338	Chinese	6,222
Radians	1,665	Italian	1,724
Country	449	Fantana	12,467
Indians	10,905		

And after the balloting was all over the word went around that Edson Keith had made $500 on the stock exchange during the day and spent the full amount on Fantana votes. A Chicago club pool was placed on Fantana and a University club pool backed the Spanish.

Dance and Foot Up Receipts.

After the balloting came the dance in the foyer. Early this morning the finance committee completed the task of footing the receipts. The announcement was made that as a result of the kirmess at least $20,000 will go into the coffers of the Cribside society, to be used in the erection of an infants' pavilion at the new Children's Memorial hospital.

The financial statement, as given out by George F. Porter, chairman of the finance committee, is as follows:

Sale of boxes	$10,535
Sale of seats	8,635
Sale of votes	5,385
Suppers	900
Refreshments	800
Programs and posters	1,800
Total	$28,055

Attendance Breaks Record.

The attendance at the kirmess last night exceeded even that of the opening night. 3,720 admissions having been sold, as against 2,798 the opening night, and 2,117 Wednesday night. The boxholders last night were Thomas D. Knight, J. J. Mitchell, Morris L. Johnston, Mrs. T. B. Blackstone, Mrs. Edson Keith, Mrs. P. D. Armour, A. A. Carpenter Jr., Mrs. W. R. Linn, A. C. Bartlett, Mrs. Arthur Meeker, Stanley McCormick, E. R. Graham, Henry C. Lytton, Mrs. J. B. Murphy, Mrs. John C. Black, Mrs. J. R. Winterbotham, Mrs. Bryan Lathrop, Mrs. R. Hall McCormick, Potter Palmer Jr., Russell Tyson, John P. Wilson, J. H. Wrenn, Edson Keith Jr., and Mrs. John Borland.

LEANS OUT OF CAR, KILLED.

Stanley Marazciski Is Almost Decapitated When Head Strikes a Trolley Pole.

Stanley Marazciski, 40 years old, an employé on a work car of the Union Traction company, was instantly killed yesterday when he leaned too far over the side of the car, his head striking a trolley pole. It almost was decapitated. The accident occurred in front of 1772 Lincoln avenue.

Phore Matson, a structural iron worker, fell seventy-five feet from the top of the new power house of the South Side Elevated railroad at Thirty-ninth and State streets in the afternoon and was instantly killed. He was employed by the Jackson and Corbett Bridge and Steel company. He lived at 289 Dunning street.

Arthur Seymour of La Grange, night operator on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad at West Grossdale, was struck by an engine at Riverside in the morning and fatally injured. He died two hours later in the Aurora hospital.

Theater Diagram Book.

Issued by the Chicago and Northwestern Railway, showing correct seating arrangements of Chicago theaters. A valuable book of reference for all theatergoers. Sent on receipt of 2 cents post or furnished free on application to city ticket office, 212 Clark street. (Tel. Cent. 721.)

King Alfonso's Sister Married Last Night.

INFANTA MARIA THERESA

There was a gathering of royalty and representatives of governments at Madrid last night to attend the civil wedding of Infanta Maria Teresa, sister of the king of Spain, to Prince Ferdinand of Bavaria.

MRS. M'KINNEY IS GUILTY.

JURY BRINGS IN VERDICT IN ALEDO, ILL., CRUELTY TRIAL.

Charges of Cruelly Torturing 16 Year Old Stella Grady, a Maid Servant Secured from Home, Are Upheld—Judge Defers Sentence Until Motion for New Trial Is Argued—Case Most Sensational in History of Mercer County.

Aledo, Ill., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—Mrs. Mary L. McKinney, who up to the time of her indictment last April was a prominent figure in church and social circles here, was today found guilty of systematic cruelty to Stella Grady, a 16 year old servant girl she secured from a home finding society in Chicago.

The judge deferred passing sentence until he had heard a motion for a new trial. In the event of the motion being denied counsel for Mrs. McKinney declare that the case will be carried to a higher tribunal.

The verdict of the jury ends temporarily what has been the most sensational trial ever held in this part of the state. Strenuous efforts were made by the counsel for the defense to secure the acquittal of Mrs. McKinney on the ground of insanity.

Case Against Husband Dismissed.

The case of her husband, Archibald McKinney, was not given to the jury, it having been shown that he was not an accessory to his wife's treatment of the Grady girl.

Mrs. McKinney and her husband were indicted by the grand jury on April 14. The charges against them were neglect and cruel torture of Stella Grady, their maid servant. The McKinney family was considered one of the most prominent in Mercer county, and the indictments created a sensation.

Before her arrest and indictment Mrs. McKinney was one of the most active workers in the Foreign Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church of Aledo, of which her husband was a trustee. She took part in every social function and benevolent enterprise in Aledo. Archibald McKinney is the owner of the only daily paper in the town and a large real estate holder.

200 Wounds Found on Girl.

The trial developed an atrocious story of cruelty. On the body of the girl, Stella Grady, after her removal from the McKinney home were found more than 200 wounds. In her testimony the girl declared that Mrs. McKinney had inflicted all of these. The woman's favorite method of torture, the girl said, was to repeatedly jab a toasting fork into her back. This was varied at times with a pair of scissors. Many of the details of the treatment given her by Mrs. McKinney and related by the girl to the court were of a shocking character.

Lawyers employed in the woman's defense did all in their power to prove that she was insane and that her treatment of the girl was due to an uncontrollable impulse. They offered to show the court, in an effort to prove the woman's insanity, that she had been guilty of much worse offenses than those charged against her by the Grady girl.

WANTS CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW TO RESIGN SEAT IN SENATE.

Brackett's Resolution Introduced at Albany and Will Be Considered Next Tuesday.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 11.—Senator Brackett's resolution requesting the resignation of United States Senator Chauncey M. Depew was introduced in the senate today and was made a special order for next Tuesday. The resolution follows:

Since the adjournment of this senate the people of the state and nation have been staggered by the relation shown to have existed for years between the Equitable Life Assurance society and Chauncey M. Depew, one of the senators of the state in the United States congress. Recognizing that these disclosures have caused a total lack of confidence in the ability of the senator named to properly represent the people in the body to which he was elected,

Resolved, By the senate, that Chauncey M. Depew be, and he hereby is, requested to forthwith resign his seat in the United States senate.

This resolution was offered in the senate by Mr. Brackett on the opening day of the legislature, Jan. 3, but after a long debate it was withdrawn after Mr. Brackett had specified that he intended to reintroduce it at a later date.

INDIANA FIGHT IS WARM.

FAIRBANKS-BEVERIDGE CONTEST WAXES IN INDIANAPOLIS.

Test of Political Strength Will Come in Primaries Today to Elect Delegates to District Gatherings on Jan. 16 — Junior Senator's Mix with Overstreet Over Collectorship of Port Is Likely to Add Fuel to the Flames.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—Republicans in this congressional district, the home of Senator Beveridge and Vice President Fairbanks, are in a state of intense excitement over the primaries for the election of delegates to the district convention which will choose a member of the new state central committee. William Bosson is the candidate for committeeman of the Fairbanks supporters and Oliver P. Ensley, county treasurer, is backed by the friends of Senator Beveridge.

Primaries will be held in every precinct tomorrow, and on Jan. 16 the delegates will meet in the various congressional districts for the election of members of the state committee.

Excites Much Interest.

The announced break between Senator Beveridge and Representative Overstreet over the appointment of a surveyor of the port of Indianapolis, coming just on the eve of the reorganization of the state committee, has excited great interest on account of the bearing it may have on national political affairs.

Heretofore Overstreet and Harry S. New, the Indiana member of the national committee, have coöperated with Senator Beveridge. Both have opposed Vice President Fairbanks' machine. They have been quietly working for Shaw for president, and to snatch the organization from the Fairbanks-Hemenway-Hanly combination.

Beveridge's Chances Hurt?

Beveridge's chances of securing control of the organization looked bright until the row with Overstreet and New over the surveyorship developed.

Vice President Fairbanks wants Goodrich, the present state chairman, reëlected. The Beveridge candidate is G. A. H. Shideler of Marion.

ACTS ON BIGELOW ATTACK.

Senate Committee Issues Subpœna for Author, Who Will Have Chance to Make Good on Canal Issue.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 11.—The senate committee on interoceanic canals today placed in the hands of Sergeant at Arms Ransdell a subpœna for Poultney Bigelow, the author and traveler, whose attack on the government of the canal zone and the management of canal affairs was denounced by Secretary Taft in a communication sent to congress by President Roosevelt.

Mr. Bigelow is believed to be in New York, and can be served in time to have him here next week. The committee's purpose is to let him substantiate his story if possible and, if that is not done, to remove the stigma placed upon the names of several officials of the isthmian canal commission.

It was announced that President Roosevelt had agreed to send to the committee an advance copy of the final report of the board of consulting engineers recommending the type of canal that may be constructed most feasibly. This report is wanted for use in examining Chief Engineer John F. Stevens, who will appear before the committee on Tuesday next. The examination of Mr. Stevens will be conducted behind closed doors, in order not to disclose the recommendations of the engineers until their report has been approved or otherwise disposed of by the president.

OBITUARY.

ALMA LOUISE KIMBALL, stepdaughter of Mr. Edwin Walker, died at the family residence, 2612 Michigan avenue, last night after an illness of several months. Her only sister, Louise E. Kimball, survives her. Funeral services will be held at Grace Episcopal church tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial private.

WILLIAM CUNARD, son of Samuel Cunard, one of the founders of the Cunard line, died in London yesterday. He was a large stockholder, and for many years a director in the company. He retired five years ago in favor of his son, Ernest H. Cunard. He was 61 years old.

NEW SERVICE ACT UPHELD BY COURT

Judge Barnes Declares It Constitutional at Opening of Hildreth Trial.

INDICTMENTS TO STAND.

'Reformers' and 'Patriots' Throng Courtroom; Reeve Descants on Tyranny of Law.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Jacksonville, Ill., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—County Judge Barnes, in a courtroom crowded with leading politicians of Morgan county, today upheld the constitutionality of the new civil service act.

At the opening of the sensational trial of Ald. Matthew L. Hildreth, indicted for soliciting republican campaign contributions from three employés of the State School for the Deaf, Judge Barnes overruled a motion to quash the indictments. He declared the Supreme court the proper tribunal to pass on the constitutionality of the act.

The victory is an important one for the civil service commission and the reform element in both state parties, the republican and democratic platforms alike containing the civil service provision. The defense contended that the act is unconstitutional in that it exempted from its classification trustees, superintendents, one chief clerk, and one stenographer from each institution.

Judge Barnes' decision was given in face of the determined opposition from the republican organization of Morgan county, including such leaders as Mayor John R. Davis, who is also president of the insane asylum trustees; John J. Reeve, appointed postmaster of Jacksonville yesterday by request of Senator Cullom; and Andrew Russell of the state pardon board.

Defense to Fight for Acquittal.

The efforts of the defense now will be directed to securing the acquittal of Hildreth. It is the general talk here tonight that no jury in the county can be found to vote a conviction. The jury secured late this afternoon is composed of representative men and carefully selected by both sides.

Judge Barnes overruled the motion to quash the indictments after hearing arguments all morning from Postmaster Reeve and other attorneys for the defense. The judge did not wait for rebuttal arguments by the state but said, without a moment's hesitation:

"It was the evident intention of the legislature to place employés of all charitable institutions on such a footing that the basis of holding their situations was to be their fitness to perform their duties, rather than a reward for political affiliations and conduct. With that intent a civil service commission was appointed and employés classified and a law enacted that is designed to guarantee them against discharge at the dictation of either party responsible for their appointment.

"Reformers" and "Patriots" Mingle.

"As I understand it, it is the rule of a lower court to uphold a law passed by the legislature, unless the court holds the law clearly unconstitutional. This court might hold the law unconstitutional and another county hold the opposite view, creating confusion. Strong arguments have been made against the constitutionality of the act, but they have not shown the court that clearness that would warrant holding the law unconstitutional. The motion is therefore overruled."

The defense then made a motion that the court elect which of the three complaints was to form the basis of trial. The court held that an answer should be made on all the defendants' complaints.

Every prominent person in the county who could be present was on hand at the opening of court. These were classed as "reformers" or "patriots," the latter being generally opposed to the law. Among the "patriots" were "Buck" Hinrichsen, City Clerk S. B. Stewart, E. F. Baker, field inspector of the state board of health; Mayor John R. Davis, Chief of Police Davis, the mayor's brother, in a new uniform; F. L. Sharp, extrustee of the insane hospital, who wants to be district game warden; and Ralph Barcroft, just nominated justice of the peace, who had been advised to keep away and go shooting.

President Moulton and Secretary Mason of the civil service commission were first to arrive. They took seats around the table with Assistant Attorney General F. E. Dempsey of East St. Louis, State's Attorney B. A. Van Winkle, Commissioners J. Stanley Brown of Rockford, James O. Willoughby of Belleville, a cousin of Gov. Deneen, who came in later; and L. O. Vaught, whom patriots call the "worst reformer in Jacksonville."

H. M. Ticknor and four other attorneys for the defense had another table and a great many law books relating to the constitution, the declaration of independence, the magna charta, and the fourteenth amendment. Hildreth sat with them. He has red chin whiskers and a worried look.

Reeve Takes Fling at Law.

Postmaster Reeve talked for two hours against section 21 of the civil service law, which reads: "No person shall solicit or ally, or by letter, or be in any manner concerned in the soliciting of any assessment, contribution, or payment for any party, or any political purpose whatever, from any employé in the classified list of the state."

Reeve said: "If I want to go to any state employé and say to him I am on the finance committee of any party, I have that inalienable right and the state cannot take it away. By the same law the financier of a church could be prohibited from talking with state employés. It is against our state and national constitutions. It is class legislation to exempt trustees, superintendents, stenographers, and chief clerks. The state legislature cannot give a commission power except in the interest of morals and health."

In examining the jury care was taken to see that none were on the pay roll of city or state institutions or held any political contracts. They also were asked if they were prejudiced against the civil service law, and many were.

One juror actually known to be affiliated with the republican city machine is Louis Piepenbring, a fat, curly haired barber. He shaves Hildreth, and is a cemetery commissioner. Asked if he had a city position he said: "I have a quiet job."

Dempsey in addressing the jury said:

"The state has a good case against the defendant, and it is your duty to hew to the line without fear or favor. It is expected you will bring in a verdict for the state."

DEFIANCE OF H. H. ROGERS WILL BE DISCUSSED TODAY.

Whether Standard Oil Magnate Can Laugh at Courts to Be Decided by New York Justice.

New York, Jan. 11.—[Special.]—Although Commissioner Sanborn was ready to hear testimony today no witnesses were examined in the suits which Attorney General Hadley brought in Missouri to put the Standard Oil company out of business there for violating the anti-trust laws. Mr. Hadley wanted to go on, but the oil lawyers objected, and the hearing was adjourned until tomorrow afternoon.

In the morning an order to show cause why Henry H. Rogers should not answer the questions about the stock ownership of the Waters-Pierce company of Missouri and the other respondents will be argued before Justice Gildersleeve in the Supreme court.

Mr. Hadley announced today a subpœna had been served on Francis D. Carley of 500 Fifth avenue, and that it was expected he would give some important testimony.

Ask Police to Find Little Girl.

The South Chicago police last night were asked to search for Mary Glecki, 11 years old, 8406 Exchange avenue, who left her home after starting for school Wednesday morning. She has not been seen since. After her parents had visited all her relatives, they appealed to the police for aid.

CAN'T STOP M. O.—DUNNE.

MAYOR TELLS DENVER PEOPLE MOVEMENT WILL WIN.

Declares Influences Which Fostered Humphrey and Allen Bills Are Trying to Defeat Him in Council, but That People Will Not Allow Them to Prevail—Shows How Public Ownership Will Become National in Scope.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—Mayor Dunne of Chicago was given a big reception today. Although he did not arrive until 1:35 p. m., two hours behind the schedule, the Seventeenth street entrance to the Union station was blocked with people, who waited patiently for a glimpse of the executive.

Acting Mayor Stoddard's first decision, not to welcome Mayor Dunne because it might compromise the Speer administration, added greatly to the size of the crowd, because the nonpartisan citizens felt the visitor should be shown the people at large were glad to see him.

Stoddard, however, had climbed into the band wagon by appointing a representative committee to receive Mr. Dunne.

A banquet was given the visitor in the early evening, and later he delivered an address before the Woman's club. The capacity of the auditorium was taxed to its utmost. Mayor Dunne delivered the beginning of his address, but had a bad cold, and former Gov. C. S. Thompson read the remainder of it. Acting Mayor Stoddard has invited Mayor Dunne to dinner tomorrow evening, and other entertainment is planned for tomorrow.

Goes Right to I. M. O.

In his address Mayor Dunne wasted little time in getting down to municipal ownership.

"Under private management we have in Chicago today probably the worst managed and most scandalously conducted street car system in the world," he declared. "There is no pretense of giving decent accommodation to the public. Our cars are dirty and insufficient in number. Our citizens are crowded like herrings in a box. Our schedules are irregular and our service at night is either scandalously insufficient or nonexistent.

"The citizens of Chicago have cried out against this sort of treatment. They have protested, and protested in vain. At last they have declared by a most emphatic vote they will have no more of it and that the municipality must take over and operate its street car systems.

"They also elected a mayor upon a platform which declared for municipal ownership at the earliest possible date. And yet, although this election occurred in April, 1905, the will of the people still is set at defiance by the tremendous influences that are behind these traction companies and other utility corporations.

Allen and Humphrey Bill Influences

"The companies which procured the passage of the infamous Allen and Humphrey bills by wholesale bribery and corruption are still exerting their malign influences against the carrying out of the will of the people. By influences known only to themselves they have succeeded in getting almost two-thirds of the city council to vote in contempt and defiance of the public demand.

"The committee on local transportation, backed up by almost two-thirds of the city council, has been industriously engaged for the last two or three months in framing ordinances extending the franchises of the present companies for the next twenty years. The aldermen who are engaged in this work seem to have behind them all the capitalistic influences of the city. They have amassed behind them nearly all the papers of the city, and all the influences of banking and financial circles. Their leaders in the council are the welcome guests of the swell clubs and intrenched capital can exert vigorously is being asserted against the carrying out of the will of the people.

"In response to the popular mandate I have sent message after message to the city council, calling its attention to the vote of the people and asking it, in respectful language, to give heed to the popular voice as expressed at the polls. All such messages have been treated with contumely and disdain. The Chicago papers, I might say, have a standing headline, which becomes useful every Tuesday morning after the council meeting of Monday night. It reads in big, black letters: 'The Mayor Snubbed Again.'

Movement Will Be National.

"The public utility corporations of Chicago, including the traction companies, the tunnel companies, the gas companies, the electric light companies, and the telephone companies of the city, are stocked and bonded for about $395,000,000, $170,000,000 of this tremendous aggregate being bonds, the remaining $225,000,000 being stocks. There are 2,000,000 people in the city of Chicago. Dividing this $225,000,000 worth of stocks among those 2,000,000 people would give $112.50 worth of stock to each man, woman, and child in the city.

"If this same proportion were carried out among the 80,000,000 of the United States, there would be at least $9,000,000,000 worth of stocks now held by stockholders of public utility corporations in the United States. If this movement wins—as it will win—in the city of Chicago, it will win throughout the United States, and that means the extinguishment of this $9,000,000,000 worth of stocks from the stock markets of this country.

"Is it to be wondered at that the traction companies and other public utility corporations would meet in convention, as they recently did in Philadelphia, and pledge themselves to oppose with all the forces at their disposal the spread of the municipal ownership sentiment throughout the United States? But they will not prevail."

CHICAGO PASSENGERS HURT IN PLUNGE OF PULLMAN CAR.

Last Coach of Wabash Train Falls from Elevated Tracks of Terminal Company at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 11.—Ten passengers, three of them Chicagoans, were injured at 7:30 this morning when the Pullman car Harcourt dropped from the terminal elevated tracks sideways fifteen feet to the pavement at Carr street.

The sleeper, which was attached to a Wabash train, had just swung into the elevated tracks that skirt the river front when the derailment occurred. After running for a few feet along the ties the car careened and broke the wooden railway that runs along the tracks. Toppling as it fell, the car landed in a triangular space bounded by the steel supports of the elevated road and the walls of the building facing the levee.

The following were injured:

Allen, Andrew A., vice president and general manager of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway system; bruised.

Furay, Mrs. D., 910 East Forty-seventh street, Chicago; side bruised.

Miller, Henry, general manager Wabash railroad company; bruised.

Patterson, John W., 43, marine engineer, Milwaukee, Wis.; severe scalp wound; fracture of left wrist.

Pomeroy, Mrs. J. G., 53, 5634 Calumet avenue, Chicago; right hip dislocated; body cut and bruised.

Pomeroy, Catherine, 5, daughter; nose lacerated.

All the injured passengers, excepting one, were taken, at their request, to different hotels. J. W. Patterson of Milwaukee was taken to the city hospital.

The car, Harcourt, was the last car, and the breaking of its coupling prevented other cars from being dragged down when it jumped the track. The front end of the car struck on a pile of lumber and was stove in. The car was otherwise partially smashed. The iron and wood work of the elevated structure was bent and splintered.

VERY LOW RATES SOUTHWEST Via the Wabash.

The Wabash will sell homeseekers' tickets to points in Arkansas, Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territories, Jan. 16, Feb. 6 and 20, at less than half rates. Write for details. F. H. Tristram, A. G. P. A., 97 Adams street, Chicago.

DENEEN'S ACTION DOOMS YATESISM.

State Institutions to Be Taken Out of the Hands of the Politicians.

CHOICES BASED ON MERIT.

Governor Selecting Men Who Will Make Civil Service Reform Effective.

Old time politicians, used to "doing politics" in the "same old" way, were anything but pleased yesterday when they learned the membership of the new state board of charities. They recognized clearly, if the average citizen did not, the appointments meant that at last the state charitable institutions are to be managed for the good of the inmates instead of the politicians, and that the anteelection promises of Gov. Deneen that they should be so meant something.

When Richard Yates was running for governor he came to Chicago and made as specific promises as a man well could. He stood before a large audience at the Auditorium and pledged his word that if elected he would remove these institutions from the political influences which had blighted them so long. After he was elected he seemed to forget all about them.

His first move was to insist that J. Mack Tanner be appointed secretary of the state board of charities. It was a political appointment pure and simple. Tanner was supposed to have inherited some of his father's political following, and the appointment was made to please it. He had no knowledge of or sympathy with charitable work, and scandal followed scandal in every institution of the state from the time he took office.

Revolt at Yates' Methods.

Dr. Emil Hirsch and Miss Julia Lathrop were on the state board when Yates nominated Tanner for the place, and they refused to consent to it. When Yates pressed the point they resigned and made public their reasons for doing so. The governor filled their places with men who had no other creed than politics, and gave the politicians a title of free users in the insane asylums and other charitable institutions of the state of Illinois.

For a year after his inauguration Gov. Deneen made no changes in this state board, and the politicians began to have hope. Even those who did not expect to profit directly under the Deneen administration were still glad to think the old customs were to prevail. It might come their turn to manage the institutions in the future and they knew well that if the institutions were once taken out of politics the people would never consent to a relapse to former ways.

Merit Regarded by Deneen.

But when Gov. Deneen got around to making the changes he had promised to make he did it in a way which left no doubt as to his sincerity. Dr. Hirsch and Miss Lathrop go back on the board, and the manner in which they left it is a guarantee they go back with nothing in the shape of political strings tied to them. Nor are they in a minority on the board. Joined with them are Dr. Frank Billings of Chicago, who never has had any connection with politics, and Dr. John C. McAnally of Carbondale, whose standing in his profession is evidenced by the fact he is an ex-president of the Illinois Medical society.

It is a stupid and hopelessly mossbacked politician, indeed, who cannot plainly read what these appointments mean. But one opinion was voiced yesterday, and it was heard on all sides. It was that the Yates plan of conducting the state charitable institutions for the benefit of the politicians had been changed to a program of conducting them for the benefit of the unfortunate inmates.

Not only will J. Mack Tanner have to go, but the methods and manners which J. Mack Tanner stands for must go also.

Real Civil Service Reform.

Civil service reform will be a live thing in the state institutions hereafter and the employés who are to have charge of the insane, the blind, the crippled, the deficient, and the aged will be selected for their fitness for the places.

Supplies will be contracted for not on account of the "pull" of the merchant, but with regard to his ability to deliver the goods, and contracts once made will be enforced to the letter.

In the future the state board of charities will deserve its title. It will supervise the state charitable institutions and not sit back and allow the various local boards of trustees to do as they please.

For McCord for Alderman.

The republicans of the First district of the Sixth ward met at 3916 Cottage Grove avenue and indorsed the candidacy of Arthur B. McCord of 5338 Cornell avenue for alderman. Mr. McCord lives in the adjoining district and is seeking the support of the northern end of the ward. Ald. Potter has announced he will not be a candidate for reëlection, and his retirement leaves a vacancy.

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From James Yemmeisler, LaCrosse, Wis.: Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are doing me more good than anything I ever tried and I was so pleased at the results that I gave away several boxes to my friends who have also had the same benefits.

From Jacob Anthony, Portmurray, New Jersey: I have taken Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets with the best results. I had Dyspepsia for 6 years, and had taken a great deal of medicine, but the Tablets seem to take right a hold and I feel good. I am a farmer and lime burner and I heartily recommend to every one who has any trouble with his stomach to use these Tablets.

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GERMANS PROTEST AGAINST WAR TALK

Remarkable Address to English People by 41 Savants of Kaiser's Empire.

ILL FEELING IS DENIED.

Powers Will Keep Peace if Fog of Prejudice Can Be Swept Away.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Fear of war between Germany and Great Britain has led forty-one of the most prominent Germans engaged in science, literature, art, and the learned professions to sign a remarkable address to the English people.

The address is made public tonight. It protests against the statements circulated in certain papers tending to create a sentiment which "would render difficult and perhaps impossible the task of those responsible for peace between the two countries."

Text of the Letter.

The letter continues:

"We regret the form in which certain papers in Germany as well as in other countries on the continent and in America vented their feelings during the late war in South Africa, but we assert that these attacks were not the outcome of any deep seated hatred, and that no ill feeling now exists in Germany against England, except that created from time to time by what we feel to be a misrepresentation of German aims in the utterances of English journals of high standing.

"We can state that none of us, though living in widely distant parts of Germany and moving in different spheres of German society and of party life, ever heard an attack on England seriously discussed or approved by any man or section of the German public worth noticing. Neither have we met anybody in Germany who credited the government with any intention or plan of war with England.

German Navy Not for War.

"The naval policy of the government, whether approved or resisted, is everywhere in Germany understood to be directed solely to provide what the government deems to be adequate protection for the growing mass of German shipping. Certainly it is not based on any purpose to enter a wanton contest at sea.

"We wish to be on truly friendly terms with England and with Englishmen, and this wish is general in Germany. Every cultivated German knows and venerates the ties that bind both nations. To no other modern country does German civilization owe so much as it does to England through Shakspeare, and England, from the time of Luther and Holbein to that of Handel and Goethe, has found in Germany a source of pure spiritual and artistic inspiration.

"We believe that on the continuance of this intimacy between both countries depends to a great extent the future and the fullness of European civilization. We, therefore, call on British men of science, on British artists and painters, as the guardians in England of this heritage, and on the British press as the leader of British feeling and opinion, to discountenance this prejudice which, automatically, casts suspicion on every act of German policy, for we are sincerely convinced that if only this fog of prejudice could be dispelled no step which the German government is likely to take and no feelings which the German people may harbor can ever rightly endanger the friendship between the two nations."

The comment is signed by the rectors and leading professors of universities and academies and by other persons of great prominence. The covering letter is signed by forty-one persons equally prominent in similar walks of life in Great Britain.

Sentiment Echoed in England.

Accompanying the address is a letter signed by Lord Avebury (formerly Sir John Lubbock, president of the Central Association of Bankers), who is chairman of the committee formed Dec. 1, after the meeting at Caxton hall, London, to promote Anglo-German accord. This letter says:

"In welcoming this communication from Germany our only regret is that any doubt should exist concerning the recognition in England of the essential solidarity of British and German civilization.

"We accept without reserve and with warm gratification all the assurances of our German friends and colleagues."

"OPEN DOOR" IN MOROCCO KAISER'S AIM, SAYS BUELOW.

Chancellor Declares That Germany Stands for Equality of Opportunity for All the Nations Alike.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]
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BERLIN, Jan. 10.—Prince von Bülow left here for Rome this evening. Speaking of the Moroccan conference, he said:

"Neither his majesty, the kaiser, nor anybody else in Germany dreams of exercising the slightest pressure upon France at the expense of French national dignity at the conference, where there should be neither conquerors nor conquered.

"Germany stands for equality of opportunity in the trade of Morocco, the 'open door' for all nations alike, and if this principle be accepted by others I expect the conference will have a successful issue. Germany seeks no advantages which are not to be shared by all alike."

France Feels More Assured.

PARIS, Jan. 11.—The diplomats, as the time for the meetings approaches, are showing a more assured feeling relative to the Moroccan conference, it being alleged that the probitory declarations of the German delegates indicate a desire to attain an equitable arrangement.

FERMENT IN CHINA GROWING.

Anti-Foreign Sentiment So Strong That It May Prove Menace to Government.

PEKING, Jan. 11.—Reports from the south and from the Yangtse valley region show the anti-foreign sentiment to be strong. China undoubtedly is in a ferment of political excitement, but the movement is directed as much against the government as against the foreigners. The government is between two fires. The young China party is clamoring because reforms are being executed too slowly, while the conservatives and the officials, the latter seeing their perquisites threatened, are resisting all efforts at reform.

"SOBERING UP" ROOM HIS PLAN.

Cliffcothe, Mo., Pastor Says Luxurious Resting Place Should Be Provided by City for Drunks.

Cliffcothe, Mo., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—A handsomely fitted "sobering up" room for drunks was advocated by the Rev. J. Walton, pastor of Elm Street Methodist church, at a prayer meeting here today.

"These poor men who get drunk are the men who really pay the saloon license," said the speaker. "They are the men who reduce our taxes 25 or 50 cents a head, and when we spend on these saloons for revenue and license them to sell intoxicants it is not fair or just to look up the man who patronizes them.

"What we should do is to have a handsomely furnished room, with luxurious couches and other comforts, in order that the fellow who is paying the taxes should sleep off his drunk there."

BUSINESS NOTICES.

For all FOOT troubles see THERON ELLINGS, chiropodist, 70 State street, corner Randolph.

Court Beauty Pleads with Dock Laborers to Vote for Her Candidate for Parliament.

COUNTESS OF WARWICK

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Lady Warwick, the court beauty, and known as the "democratic countess," took a land in the election struggle today. She addressed her "comrades and friends," the dock laborers of West Ham, in support of the labor candidate, "Will" Thorne. The countess, in a dainty Parisian costume, braved the bleak wind while from a tradesman's wagon she urged the laborers to work to secure an independent labor party in the house of commons. "You laborers," said the countess, "are the empire. Remember your responsibility and sow the seeds of freedom for your children."

CZAR NEEDS $240,500,000.

RUSSIAN BUDGET SHOWS A DEFICIT WHICH MUST BE MET.

Cost of War with Japan, Revealed for First Time, Proves to Have Been $1,050,000,000—Revenue for 1906 $1,013,929,387—Ordinary Expenditures $1,000,038,275 — Sixty-five Reds Are Killed in Fight with Troops.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 11.—The budget statement for 1906, which was issued tonight, shows that it will be necessary to raise $240,500,000 by credit operations to balance the estimated receipts and expenditures. The latter include $202,500,000 for the liquidation of the expenses of the Russo-Japanese war, the repatriation of the troops in the far east, and the reduction of the army to a peace footing.

For the first time the total cost of the war, $1,050,000,000 is revealed.

The budget for 1906 estimates the ordinary revenue at $1,013,929,387, and the ordinary expenditure at $1,000,038,275. The extraordinary revenue is estimated at $1,000,000, plus $240,557,000 from impending credit operations, and the extraordinary expenditure at $246,448,112. The total revenue and expenditure balance at $1,255,486,387.

The following, in round numbers, are included in the receipts: Direct taxes, $74,000,000; indirect taxes, $212,000,000; duties, $54,000,000; state monopolies, $320,500,000; state domains, $291,000,000.

The ordinary expenditures, in round numbers, include the following: State debt, $167,000,000; ministry of war, $187,000,000; ministry of the navy, $52,000,000; ministry of finance, $171,000,000; ministry of the interior, $65,500,000; ministry of communications, $238,500,000.

De Witte Predicts Better Times.

The statement concludes with the following, addressed to the emperor, which was evidently penned by count de Witte:

"These facts and figures submitted to your majesty show that the present situation of Russian finances is none too favorable. This state of things is the result of the war and of the troubles which followed. These troubles are of a temporary character and it is fair to assume that they will be ameliorated in the near future.

"Conditions favorable for the appearance of a period of fruitful work must be perceived even amidst the gloom of the present hour. With each day the popular conscience must be awakened more and more to a realization of the true material needs of the fatherland.

"The awakening of these social forces has a sure guarantee in the independence granted to a Russian nation by your august will and in the equality before the law which has been assured to all your majesty's subjects."

In the budget statement it is announced that manifestoes will be issued giving the nation the right to participate in the examination of future budgets. This, therefore, will be the last budget to be examined solely by the council of the empire without the cooperation of an elective assembly.

Will Not Permit Constitution.

Premier de Witte, at his reception yesterday of the delegation headed by the mayor of St. Petersburg, is said to have declared that the government would not go an inch beyond the imperial manifesto in the question of transforming the national assembly into a constituent assembly for the purpose of formulating a constitution, and will not tolerate any attempt to do so, which would make it a revolutionary assembly and subject to dissolution by the emperor.

The Novoe Vremya also claims that the premier announced that the emperor had not abrogated autocratic power, and could still by imperial manifesto broaden, abridge, and even abolish the rights granted to the people.

Troops Kill Sixty-five Reds.

RIGA, Livonia, Jan. 11.—News has just reached this city of a daring attempt of the revolutionists to capture a military train conveying a large sum of money from St. Petersburg to Libau. A band of revolutionists having advance information gathered at Hazenpot, burned two bridges, and tore up the track. Two companies of infantry which were escorting the train left the cars and were joined by a detachment of dragoons. This force marched against the revolutionists, who, from being improvised defenses opened fire on the soldiers. The infantry after firing two volleys, which killed sixty-five and wounded nearly a hundred of the revolutionists, charged with the bayonet, and the dragoons completed the rout by sabring all the revolutionists they overtook.

Assassinated at Irkutsk.

IRKUTSK, Siberia, Jan. 11.—The prefect of police, M. Dragomiroff, has been assassinated. The murderer escaped.

PERIL IN WALL STREET.

IDAHO SENATOR URGES CONGRESS TO CURB MONEY CONGESTION.

Western Member of Senate Declares Hundreds of Millions Have Been Accumulated in the Great "Gambling Club on the Hudson"—Wants Board of National Control of Corporations — House Debates Philippine Tariff Bill.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 11.—Before going into executive session today the senate listened to a speech by Mr. Heyburn of Idaho in support of his bill creating a national board for the control of corporations, in which he denounced Wall street, because of its alleged interference with the affairs of the country.

"It is known as Wall street," he said, "but in reality it is only a gambling club, with headquarters on the Hudson river, from which it assumes to dictate the general policy of the country, threatening that unless this thing or that is done it will wreck the country.

"Fortunately," he added, "the time has passed when it can do that, although it once possessed that power." There is an "unnatural and unholy congestion" of the money of the country in Wall street, and he asserted that "hundreds of millions have been accumulated there by a combination of gamblers who use their power to bring about a stress in the money market." He would have this tendency checked so far as it could be done, and he believed that his bill would aid in accomplishing that result.

The senate adjourned until Monday.

Tariff Debate in House.

The Philippine tariff debate in the house today consisted more of party maneuvering for advantageous campaign material than of discussion of the question at issue. The tariff was the text of a speech by Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio, who began the debate, and of an extended reply by Mr. Williams, the minority leader.

Philippine tobacco was characterized as "poor, miserable stuff" by Mr. Grosvenor, and although his state raised tobacco he did not fear competition from the Philippines, which would not sell in the Cincinnati market for anything.

Massachusetts was next the subject of Mr. Grosvenor's remarks. He went on to show that notwithstanding the cry for free raw material there was now in Massachusetts a flood tide of prosperity.

Outlines a Democratic Tariff.

Mr. Williams, the minority leader, followed. Discussing our presence in the Philippines, he exclaimed:

"Curse the hypocrisy of the fellow who tells me that God put us in the Philippines. Nobody but a hypocrite would say it; and nobody but a fool would believe it.

"American greed, American cupidity for prestige and conquest, and to become a world power went there," he added.

Scoring the democratic tariff doctrine, all of which he said was old and worn out, Mr. Adams (Wis.), who followed Mr. Williams, said the republicans of his state, while protectionists, believed a revision and readjustment of existing tariff conditions should be made at this time.

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CHICAGO TUNNEL HAS DAY IN COURT

Justice Harlan Perpetrates a Joke on the Van Buren Street Bore.

APOLOGY TO J. HAM LEWIS

Attorneys Finish Their Argument For and Against the City's Rights.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—More than half the time of the Supreme court today was taken up with the concluding arguments in the case of the West Chicago street railway company against the city of Chicago, which is known as the Van Buren street tunnel case, in which the street car company is seeking to reverse the opinion of the Supreme court of Illinois that the city has the right to compel the lowering of the tunnel at the expense of the street car company. Incidentally, the grave justices of the highest tribunal of the land seemed to depart from their accustomed austerity to have a little sly fun at the expense of the Chicago attorneys.

In concluding his argument for the street railway company, Attorney Wilson had remarked it was a question whether the city had the power to compel the company to remove the tunnel.

Justice Harlan asked if the city ordinance specified "where the tunnel was to be removed to?"

The whole bench grinned at the Kentucky jurist's joke.

There also was an exchange of curtesies between Corporation Counsel J. Hamilton Lewis and Justice Holmes, and the justice gracefully said that probably he had done Mr. Lewis an injustice yesterday in saying that he could not comprehend any of his argument. He made it clear that he did not agree with the corporation counsel of Chicago in the position he took as to the law points involved, but he asked pardon for the abruptness and possible discourtesy of his remarks the evening before.

Argument for the City.

The principal argument for the city today was presented to the court by Granville W. Browning after Mr. Lewis had concluded the argument he left unfinished yesterday. Mr. Browning went into the merits of the case extensively, as well as into the question of jurisdiction. He showed that the Appellate court as well as the Circuit court of Illinois positively had decided that the Van Buren street tunnel was an actual obstruction to the navigation of the Chicago river. Then he went on to say that the Supreme court of the United States has held repeatedly that when the decision of the highest court of a state was brought before the Supreme court of the United States by writ of error the conclusions of fact found by the state court would not be reviewed.

In this case, said Mr. Browning, the Illinois Supreme court had declared that the provision of the horse and dummy act, that any structure crossing a navigable water should in no case obstruct navigation, must be read into the charter of the street car company as well as the city ordinance of 1888. The United States Supreme court has decided that where the finding of a state court is based on the construction of the statute under which the contract is claimed, that construction will be adopted, and that there is no federal question. Therefore, Mr. Browning claimed, that under this general principle there could be no violation of a contract such as would raise a federal question, and the United States Supreme court therefore could exercise no jurisdiction.

Insists on City's Rights.

It was also argued that to constitute a lawful structure in a navigable river there must be joint consent of both national and state governments. Mr. Browning also insisted that the title to the soil under the bed of a river may be in a railroad company because it owns the land at either approach, but it is a qualified and not an absolute title, and subject at all times to public easement of navigation.

He showed that the Chicago river at this point always had been a navigable stream and that any structure built in the soil under its water would be put there at the companies' risk, and that it would be obliged to move it at any time when it became an obstruction to navigation. It would be a hardship to compel the public at its own expense to remove or lower structures erected by private owners.

In his argument in behalf of the street car company yesterday John P. Wilson insisted that the Van Buren street tunnel could not be considered an interruption to navigation, because the tunnels at Washington and La Salle street, owned by the city, effectually barred the entrance to a deep draft vessel long before Van Buren street was reached.

Like Three Huge Bowlders.

In regard to that Mr. Browning submitted the theory that the case was the same as if there were three bowlders in the river, one at Van Buren street, one at Washington, and one at La Salle street. He asked whether any one would contend that the city could not blast out all three of them and could not begin by first blasting out the bowlder at Van Buren street?

Mr. Wilson concluded for the street car company, following the same general line as in his opening argument yesterday.

$50,000,000 LOSS TO PACKERS

Secretary Wilson Says Orders Will Go Unfilled Unless Emergency Appropriation for Inspectors Is Granted.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 11.—"Unless congress speedily grants the emergency appropriation of $135,000 requested by me for additional inspectors and microscopists it is probable that over $50,000,000 worth of orders for American pork and beef products placed by German dealers will go unfilled."

This statement was made by Secretary Wilson today. Anticipating the high rates of duty on products emanating from the United States imposed by the new German tariff, which becomes effective March 1 next, and Germany at the present time being in urgent need of meat supplies, Secretary Wilson said that German dealers have flooded the packing houses of this country with orders.

"I am strongly in favor of having the packers pay all the expenses of inspections," continued the secretary, "such inspections to be under governmental supervision, of course."

JURISTS FLOUNDER IN TRACTION MAZE

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the less forcible tone inquired several times: "What are you fighting for? Can't you tell us what you hope to have decided by the court, and then let us get the history afterwards?"

Waste of Words Hides Facts.

Justice Brown made the suggestion, "Why not begin at the end of your history, then go backward, because in that way we would know what you are trying to show, and we could apply the facts as they came up."

These comments, and others by different members of the court, were not at all unfriendly, but expressed clearly the extreme difficulty of making any clear statement of the points involved, and when the court adjourned for the night no such statement had been made by the counsel who opened the case.

Chicago people, generally, know the street car companies made what many people believed to be extravagant claims under the ninety-nine year act, and that Judge Grosscup, in the United States Circuit court, settled those claims as far as he could. He decided, roughly speaking, that the companies had a ninety-nine year franchise over the lines granted them prior to 1875, which was the date of the adoption of the cities and villages act. On lines granted to companies after that date, Judge Grosscup held the franchise was terminated by ordinance in each case, and was not given for the life of the corporation.

According to the general estimate, Judge Grosscup sustained 21 per cent of the claims of the street car companies and denied about 79 per cent. The street car companies appealed from this decision, because they hoped to secure all their claims. The city likewise appealed, because it hoped to knock out the ninety-nine year franchise entirely. Receivers of the Union Traction company also appealed, because of the interest it had on account of leases from the network of underlying companies.

Everybody Appeals but Grosscup.

Thus it comes about that everybody is appealing and the only person really who is not represented in court is Judge Grosscup himself, and he apparently is the real defendant in this curiously composite case from a popular, although, of course, not from a legal standpoint.

It would take columns upon columns of THE TRIBUNE to give a mere outline of what is claimed by the city and by the various street car interests which are opposed to it. The effect of the ultimate decision of the Supreme court of the United States will be to define just what rights the city of Chicago has in its streets and the extent to which it will have to go to secure a street car system of its own under the twenty year extension ordinance about to be submitted to the people.

If Judge Grosscup is sustained throughout, it will have so much of its own and so much to buy. If he is upset entirely, it will have but little to buy, provided the city's contention is sustained, but if the street car companies' contention is sustained it will have so much to buy that the efforts to purchase would probably have to be abandoned and the yoke of the street car monopoly upon the city of Chicago would be fastened for another indefinite period.

In the arguments which are to be made within the next three or four days the chief point at issue will be the view assumed by the representatives of the city, which is that, under the revised charter of the city of Chicago of 1851, which gave the city council the right exclusively to control and regulate streets and alleys, the council had lawful authority to pass ordinances for the construction and operation of street railways and prescribe the terms and conditions of these grants. The city asserts this is especially true where, as in the case of Chicago, the municipality owns the streets.

Contention of the City.

It is contended, therefore, that the ordinance passed in 1858, which gave Frank Parmelee and his associates the right to put down street railroads, was a valid exercise of the charter power and the ordinance constituted a proper contract between the city of Chicago and the owners of the franchise, because the city became vested with the right to purchase the street railroad at any time after Aug. 16, 1883. If this be true, of course, the ninety-nine year act, passed in 1865, which the city declares is unconstitutional, only operated to recognize the previous power of the city council and to formally ratify the ordinance rights of the Chicago City railway company, which was the parent of all subsequent corporations in the city.

The city, of course, insists that the pre-existing charter power of the city of Chicago, recognized and reaffirmed by the so-called ninety-nine year act of 1865, to prescribe terms and conditions, included the power to fix the time when the privileges granted should terminate.

As for the street car people, they hold exactly the opposite view. It is a curious feature, in view of the latter day developments, that the first franchise granted by the city council contained an ultimate municipal ownership provision.

View of Street Car People.

The street car people, therefore, insisted that not only did their franchises run for ninety-nine years, even where a shorter period was specified by the city, but after that time had expired they could continue to own and operate their lines until the city purchased them under the provisions of the old franchise, which has since percolated through a series of companies until its results were finally lodged in the Union Traction company, now under control of receivers appointed by the United States court. This provision for the sale the street car people hold to be the charter right of the Chicago Street railway company, attaching to its entire system and transferred by it under authority of law to the West Division company and its successors.

The city holds that the ninety-nine year law was unconstitutional, or, at least, meaningless. The street car people insist it extended the corporate life of the companies to ninety-nine years, and similarly extended the operation of every grant and franchise, the limitation in the city ordinances being passed merely because the city never recognized the act of 1865 as valid.

DEATHS.

[For other death notices see page 11.)

HOBAN—Nellie E. Hoban, beloved daughter of Helen and the late John Hoban, sister of Charles and Anna Hoban, at residence, 256 Grand-av. Notice of funeral later.

ARREST REVEALS AMAZING PLOT.

Wall Street Escapes Flood of $4,500,000 of Bogus Norfolk Securities.

PLANS WERE WELL LAID.

New York Bank Note Company Induced to Print Forged Stock by Fake Letter.

New York, Jan. 11.—[Special.]—The arrest of Charles Augustus Seton in Maryland and his arrival in this city today as a prisoner is the first thread that is expected to lead to the center of one of the most amazing swindles ever attempted in Wall street.

Seton is the man who is suspected of heading the conspiracy to float a large issue of forged certificates of Norfolk and Western railroad common stock of which it is known that at least four have been sold in this country.

It transpired today that Seton had $4,500,000 worth of these bogus certificates of stock printed by the Hamilton Bank Note Engraving and Printing company of this city. How many he and his confederates succeeded in disposing of cannot even be guessed at.

Europe May Be Flooded.

There are rumors that the fraudulent certificates were peddled through the financial markets of Europe more extensively than in this country, and from one source at least comes the guess that $1,000,000 worth of the bogus securities were disposed of abroad. The market value of a Norfolk and Western certificate for 100 shares of common stock is about $7,500.

How many confederates Seton had is not known. One man, Samuel Humphreys of 157 Washington street, Brooklyn, was arrested today.

Imposed on Printing Company.

The Hamilton Bank Note Engraving and Printing company was imposed upon by Seton and induced to print the bogus certificates by a forged letter, which might have aroused their suspicions, but which didn't.

Stock certificates for cheap mining companies are sometimes lithographed. All other certificates are made from steel plates. The Hamilton Bank Note people could not make a satisfactory explanation to the railroad company of their acceptance of an order to lithograph securities for a railroad company whose gross annual earnings are $30,000,000 without calling up the officers of the company and finding out whether Seton was doing business for them.

This is the letter which Seton showed the Hamilton Bank Note people last August, and upon the strength of which they made for him 500 100 share certificates in two books of 250 each:

New York, Aug. 3, 1905.—C. Augustus Seton, 49 Exchange place—Dear Sir: Inclosed you will find copy of an old Norfolk and Western certificate which was used, as I explained to you, when I was president of the company. Our new line runs from Norfolk to St. Louis, and the proceeds of the additional stock issue I want to use to acquire rights, terminals, depot grounds, and freight yards. The name is to be the Norfolk and Western railway company, instead of "railroad," as it appears in the old stock. There will be $80,000,000 of stock, and, as I told you, a bond issue of the same is about to follow.

Have the work rushed through as rapidly as possible. We will pay the extra expense necessary to expedite the lithographing, etc. When the bond issue is ready we are going to let you handle it. I am going out of town, but will be back in New York Monday and want to see you then.

C. B. FRANKLIN.

Letter Seemed to Be Genuine.

This letter was exhibited today by Harmon S. Graves, counsel for the Hamilton company, as the reason why the company had executed Seton's order.

The letter is typewritten on the Norfolk and Western letter paper. There never was any C. B. Franklin connected with the Norfolk and Western, and from this vague letter it does not appear just in what capacity C. B. Franklin signed it, except as former president.

Seton, it appears, had done business with the Hamilton Bank Note company before. Manager Thomas of the bank note company, who did this work for him, had got to know Seton. He had offices in Exchange place which impressed the Hamilton Bank Note people, according to their story. They did not know that these offices were for the "come ons."

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HENRY C. LYTTON Pres
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Necessarily, therefore, this means that no matter in which department a purchase is made you secure a bargain of unusual merit—*one that no other store in this city can duplicate in any sense.*
We advise you to keep in touch with Bargain Friday at The Hub—it is so productive of good things.

Put two and two together.
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FRIDAY, JANUARY 12, 1906.

ARRESTING INNOCENT PERSONS.

Besides enabling the guilty to escape the incompetency of Chicago detectives is the cause of much annoyance and humiliation to innocent people. Constantine, the alleged murderer of Mrs. Gentry, ought to have been caught within a few minutes, or at most a few hours, after his crime. He got away and now all the surrounding country is being beaten up for him. On Wednesday the startling fact was discovered in Joliet that a man had arrived there from Chicago who had a gold tooth like one of Constantine's. This was deemed "positive identification." The man was promptly arrested and the Chicago police were telegraphed. The prisoner offered to prove that he was not the murderer but an inoffensive traveling man. The Joliet police and the zealous Chicago sleuth who was sent after him would not listen. He was manacled and brought to this city. Within three minutes after he reached the police station he had proved he was the man he had said he was and been released.

Similar incidents happened repeatedly in the Bates, the Mize, and the Reese cases. They doubtless will happen again in the Gentry case. Hotel clerks, constables, town marshals, the police of this and other cities, are on the alert for suspicious characters. Those who start looking for such characters generally find them, and Chicago detectives are as unskillful in using descriptions and weighing evidence as in following up "clews." It is unavoidable that in the hunt for criminals innocent persons shall occasionally be inconvenienced and sometimes even humiliated. What is unavoidable is excusable. When these things happen so often as they do in Chicago they are due to ignorance of the law and gross incompetency. A detective force that troubles the innocent while letting the guilty get away needs shaking up. Chicago wants detectives that can detect.

Ordinarily when working on a case of this importance the police make the rounds of the saloons of Chicago and bring in a lot of ignorant negroes and tramps. After each arrest they give it out that they are sure that this time they have got the right man. They aim by this means to impress the public with a proper sense of their zeal and activity. They have not done this on the present occasion, the arrest at Joliet being the only one made thus far. But the usual plan is being followed in part. It is given out that new "clews" have been found which will infallibly lead to an important arrest within a few hours. Among others a "mysterious woman" has furnished a "mysterious clew," which, of course, it would not do to confide to the public. Doubtless, as in the past, new "clews" will be discovered as fast as the old ones come to naught until finally public interest will wane and the case will be dropped. Chicago detectives are Sherlock Holmeses for finding clews but not for utilizing them.

PESTS.

The fierce, untamed New Jersey mosquito will be only a tradition like the bison and the auk if the plans of the state entomologist of New Jersey are carried out. He reports that 95 per cent of the mosquitoes of the state breed in the salt water marshes. The marshes may be destroyed by drainage or by filling at a cost of $315,555. The value of the land thus made will be greater than the cost, and all the state will profit by the destruction of the mosquitoes' happy home. The entomologist has not counted or estimated the number of mosquitoes in the state, so it is impossible to say just how cheap they are, but it certainly seems a bargain.

The mosquitoes of New Jersey are not the same as those which carry the infection of yellow fever, but malaria and other lesser ills are laid to their charge. They have a wide reputation for size and ferocity, and merely from the discomfort they cause have long been persona non grata. Modern science, after showing them to be a source of danger as well as annoyance, has naturally turned to the means of checking their increase. To destroy all in existence is the ultimate aim, but for purposes of demonstration it will do to begin with 95 per cent of them.

If science can thus reach the remote, uninhabited regions of New Jersey and discover and destroy the almost invisible eggs of the lawless mosquito there will be hope that some way can be discovered by science to cause Chicago smoke to cease bringing offense and injury to throats and lungs, to say nothing of the less deadly, but equally disagreeable, defilement of fabrics. A cloud of smoke is larger than a mosquito, and its hatching-place can be more easily discovered. The expense of preventing its development can be thrown upon its owner, who is not, as in the case of the mosquito, the state. The mosquito is under no obligations to consider the feelings of men or to regard their laws. The owner of a smoking chimney is dependent upon the protection of the law for the continuance of his business. He is bound to his fellow man by reciprocal needs and services. Surely it is not idle to hope that a way will be discovered to reach him by science if respect or fear of the law or the opinion of his neighbors is insufficient.

After science has disposed of the smoke it may feel disposed to take in hand the smells which contribute to the discomfort of Chicago, and when they shall have been swept away along with the smoke Chicagoans will be ready to erect a colossal and beautiful monument to "science, the deliverer."

NEW CHARITIES BOARD.

Gov. Deneen has acted in an exemplary manner in making up the new membership of the state board of charities. He has taken plenty of time for the purpose, he has obviously consulted with persons advised and interested concerning the important and specialized duties of that board, and he has finally secured a body whose personnel is unexceptionable.

Dr. Billings, the new president of the body, is not only a physician of the first rank in Chicago but he is one who is acquainted with the problems of public institutions, and has had much to do already in connection with recent reforms and improvements in the charitable institutions of Cook county. Dr. Emil G. Hirsch is more than the head of a great religious congregation and a student of social problems. He is also a man of high and positive standards concerning public life, and of courage to insist upon them. This he showed when he resigned from this same board, under Gov. Yates, because the latter insisted upon dictating whom the board should appoint as secretary. Miss Julia Lathrop, who had been a member of this board under two administrations of different political complexion, resigned at the same time and for the same reason as did Dr. Hirsch. Miss Lathrop probably knows and possibly cares more about the charitable institutions of Illinois as a whole than does any other person in the state. Her presence on the board will be invaluable. Dr. John C. McNally, former president of the State Medical association, will be the fourth member, and Mrs. Clara Bourland, who is prominent in women's clubs and in Catholic charitable work, is expected to succeed Father Edward A. Kelly when he retires on March 1.

The new board will evidently contain no lumber. Dr. Billings' final consent to serve as president was undoubtedly influenced by this prospect. The circumstance illustrates the fact that the way in which to induce the ablest and busiest men to serve on public appointive bodies is to assure them concerning the fitness of all their colleagues.

Appointments of this kind should be a keynote to the character of an administration, but they are not always. It is not enough to make excellent appointments; the appointees must not be deprived of freedom of action. It was precisely at this point the Yates administration was wrecked. The board was ordered to elect a politician as its secretary, and as its best members could not do that and retain their self-respect they resigned.

If Gov. Deneen will permit the new board of charities in good faith to carry out their policies without reference to political considerations, he will go far towards redeeming the promises made during the campaign. Mr. Yates made similar promises, but subsequent events showed that he had no intention of redeeming them fully. It was at exactly that point THE TRIBUNE parted company with him and his administration.

The new board probably will wish to elect a new secretary. It should be free to do so. That officer should be an expert in the kind of work with which the board has to concern itself. He should be competent to correspond with the highest authorities in the world in reference to methods of administration of charitable institutions, and to reforms therein, and might himself contribute something to the study and practical investigation of the subject.

The new board, if backed up by the governor, will constitute a guaranty henceforth against the scandals in management and contracts, against the dubious building procedure, and against the generally lax administrative standards which have, to a greater or less degree in recent years, reflected upon the state charitable institutions. The board should also prove a strong support for the new state civil service commission, which is now occupied with the task of placing public servants in those institutions on a basis of fitness and of permanent tenure. From every standpoint the public as well as Gov. Deneen is to be heartily congratulated upon the new personnel of the board.

BETTER FIRE PROTECTION NEEDED.

Two years ago a large part of the business section of Baltimore was suddenly destroyed by fire. About the same time Toronto suffered in the same way. These events properly aroused the national board of fire underwriters to ascertain whether or not other American cities were exposed to a like destruction of property. The board accordingly instituted investigations on the subject in a number of American cities, and the report on Chicago, the facts for which were chiefly gathered last summer, has now appeared. It involves a general survey of Chicago conditions from the point of view of fire risk, and recommends a long list of specific improvements.

The most important of these is that the high pressure system, substantially as heretofore designed by the high pressure commission, be installed at once in the business district. The next most important recommendation is that meters be installed generally in the city as a means of preventing waste and of conserving the pressure in the ordinary water mains. The third most important recommendation is that eleven new engine companies, certain additional ladder companies, and one additional pumping station be established without delay.

The report further advises the extension of the fire limits, the revision of the building laws, especially those respecting the height of buildings and the area covered, better regulations governing the handling and storing of explosives, and a requirement that automatic sprinklers be adopted in buildings affected with special fire risks. It also makes numerous suggestions concerning the organization of the fire department. It recommends, for example, that the fire chief's tenure of office depend absolutely upon his efficiency, that promotions be based solely on efficiency records, that retirement occur ordinarily at the age of 62, that the present engineering force of the department be tested by a rigid examination, that the fire chief have exclusive disciplinary authority, that he have certain additions to his immediate staff, and that street railway, electric light, and gas company employés receive instruction and become an auxiliary force available in case of fire emergency.

These recommendations must in their general drift commend themselves to the prudent judgment of Chicago. The great Chicago fire is now a generation behind us and a sense of security has naturally arisen. The experiences of Baltimore and Toronto, however, are too fresh in mind to permit the notion that great urban conflagrations are a thing of the past. The honest observer knows that this city is not properly safeguarded today either against destructive individual fires or against the danger of a great fire disaster. He knows that the primary need in the situation is for a central high pressure system, and that steps ought to be taken, by the adoption of meters and by the replacing of defective mains, to stop the reduction of pressure through waste. He knows that the sprinkler system should be placed in many buildings where it is not found, and that some buildings involve inadmissible fire risks owing to arrangement. He knows, too, that the organization of the fire department needs not only due expansion but likewise a constant insistence upon the test of efficiency. This report should be cordially received and promptly dealt with by the city authorities. It should lead to action.

SCHOOL BOARD'S GILDED DOME.

The idea of erecting a central school administration building was not inspired by a desire to economize. If it had been the subject would have been studied from that point of view. The idea did not grow out of the wish to accommodate the officers of the board or citizens who have to transact business with them. Otherwise it would not have been proposed to put up the building on the west side in an unsuitable place.

It never would have occurred to any member that an administration building was needed if the board had not been flush of funds. It had levied taxes for school building purposes, but had spent so little that a large surplus accumulated. A surplus, whether it be in the treasury of the national government or in that of a small municipal corporation, affects in the same way the minds of those who control it. They are invariably inspired with a burning desire to "bust the surplus." They itch to spend money which is not their own for public works which are not needed.

The surplus which tempts the board to extravagance is so large that a $500,000 administration building would not devour it. Therefore it is proposed that a commercial high school be established. The surplus must be destroyed, not by a reduction of taxes for a year or so, which would give grateful relief to taxpayers, but by organized extravagance.

In the opinion of many good judges, if the "administration building" and "commercial high school" are undertaken by the board of education, together with other additions to the building contemplated by some of the members, the cost will not be less than $750,000 to $1,000,000. Rather a poor commentary upon the continued statement that there are not nearly sufficient accommodations now for the poor children who wish to get in primary schools the rudiments of an English education.

The situation illustrates the necessity for a consolidation of taxing bodies in this city. There are eight of them, and each collects from the people all it can, whether it needs the money or not. If the charter amendment shall be held good by the Supreme court it will be possible to consolidate six of them, the board of education being one. It must be done if it can be. Then one department of the public service will not be demoralized by a surplus while another is demoralized by penury. If the taxing bodies had been consolidated a few years ago nothing would be heard today of a school administration building and "commercial high school," or some other schemes of the "surplus busters" of the board of education.

EVENTS appear to be making it necessary for Teamster Shea to increase the size of his bodyguard every time he attends a meeting of real workingmen.

WHENEVER exciting incidents are crowding one another so thickly that it seems impossible for anything else to happen a street car cable always breaks.

LET us hope it will not become customary, out of consideration for ears polite, to refer to New York's new superintendent of police as Gen. B——m.

WHEN the Hon. Champ Clark speaks of Mr. Bryan as the "greatest American" he is culpably disloyal to his own state. Has he forgotten Miss Ella Ewing, the Missouri giantess?

PERHAPS it will not cost so much to try Constantine—assuming that the detectives catch him.

UNCLE RUSSELL SAGE will have to pay taxes this year on a personal property assessment of $2,000,000. Are the New York authorities trying to drive the poor man out of the city?

THE United States Supreme court physicians may be able to do something to prevent Mr. Rogers from going into a general decline.

MRS. CHADWICK begins her ten year term in the penitentiary today. Good-by, Mrs. Chadwick.

MR. DURHAM of Philadelphia announces his retirement from political leadership. A hint to the effect that something of this kind might be expected was given by the Philadelphia voters, if we mistake not, a month or two ago.

IF the Municipal Voters' league has its way a considerable number of the retiring aldermen will stay retired.

UPON what ground does a state employé base the argument that he ought to be exempted from the operation of the no pass rule?

AN Indianapolis man has solved the servant girl question to his own satisfaction by standing up for his rights in his own house with a drawn revolver. He may have been justified in doing this as a matter of self-defense, but it was unconventional, and society will not indorse it.

DAMAGES to the extent of $17,500 have been assessed against three local saloonkeepers for wrecking a home. Brewers are willing to pay for saloon licenses occasionally, but they will draw the line at being held financially responsible for this sort of thing.

THE president has joined the order of Red Men. The Red Men, it will be recalled, were among the original rough riders.

ST. LOUIS will do well to conserve its energies. It can't indulge in a wild goose chase in the waters of Illinois and carry on a successful crusade for a free bridge at the same time.

OLD CHIEF GERONIMO, who has just married his eighth wife, evidently intends to stay on the war path as long as he lives.

A Rouser.

The doctor shook his gray head.
The young husband looked at him doing helpmeet.
"Can't you rouse her?" he hoarsely whispered.
Again the doctor shook his head.
"You try," he murmured.
The young husband bent lower.
"Jane," he called, "Jane, dear, I see that Slingsby & Co. are offering some remarkable bargains today in left over holiday goods. Fifty per cent discount on everything."
"Bring me my hat," said Jane.—Houston Chronicle.

Unwelcome Spirit.

"You say you intend to bring suit against the medium for damages?"
"Yes."
"Why so?"
"She nearly made me have nervous prostration by bringing back my wife."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

LETTER OF MARQUISE DE FONTENOY

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THAT the new liberal administration in England is by no means certain of victory at the polls is strikingly demonstrated by the intimation on the part of the new viceroy of Ireland, the earl of Aberdeen, that he has decided to postpone his state entry with Lady Aberdeen into Dublin and their establishment at Dublin castle and at the viceregal lodge in Phœnix park until after the general parliamentary election has decided the fate of the government.

This is a wise precaution. For it must not be forgotten that the unionists possessed an overwhelming majority in both houses of the national legislature when in consequence of internal dissensions in the cabinet they went out of office the other day. It is by no means certain that the electorate will return a liberal majority in the contest which has now been inaugurated. Should the unionists, as many people seem to believe, win a victory at the polls, the brief spell of office of the liberals would come to an immediate end.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen are evidently prepared for some sort of an eventuality as this, and do not care to go to all the trouble and expense of installing themselves at Dublin castle when there is a possibility that the earl's term as viceroy may be brought to an end before the close of the month. Lord Aberdeen is a shrewd and canny Scotchman, and the caution which he is displaying in the matter has served to call attention to a fact of which most people appear to have lost sight—namely: that if the general election now commenced results in a defeat of the liberals, they will immediately go out of office again, and make way for a new and reconstructed unionist or conservative cabinet.

Meanwhile it will be well to keep an eye upon Lord Kitchener. For if the present prime minister and the principal members of the liberal cabinet are allowed to have their way he will be either driven to resign the commandership in chief of the British forces in India, or else will be relieved of the office. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman in his recent speech at the Albert hall in London went out of his way to emphasize the "necessity of subordinating the military to the civilian element," which of course bore reference to the recent conflict between Kitchener and Lord Curzon in India.

Moreover, the premier, as well as other members of the liberal cabinet, is advocating the necessity of extensive reductions in military expenditures, which will involve the abandonment of most of the plans which Lord Kitchener has inaugurated for the reorganization and the refequipment of the British forces in India; and, finally, another member of the cabinet—namely: the Rt. Hon. John Burns—took upon himself in his speech to his constituents the other day at Battersea to belittle the victories of England in the Soudan in South Africa, in the achievement of which Kitchener took a leading part, the minister going on to describe the money which they had cost as having been "uselessly squandered." Indeed, Lord Kitchener has but one champion in the liberal cabinet—namely: Sir Edward Grey, the secretary of state for foreign affairs, who, like his close friend, Lord Rosebery, believes that Lord Kitchener should be allowed an entirely free hand in the task of reorganizing the British army, not alone in India but also in England.

As to the story published by the English papers that Lord Kitchener is coming home on leave of absence, that is all nonsense. He cannot leave India during his term of office unless he resigns or is removed from the commandership in chief. In one word, he is subjected to the same restrictions as the viceroy and the governors of Bombay and Madras, as well as the commanding generals of these two so-called presidencies. Thus when the duke of Connaught commanded the troops of the Bombay presidency and came home to attend the jubilee of his mother, the late Queen Victoria, the sanction of parliament had to be sought and obtained before he could take his departure from Bombay for England.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the new premier, makes his home in Scotland, at Belmont castle, in the beautiful vale of Strathmore, in Perthshire. It is a pity that he changed the name of his abode. For it is built on the foundations and occupies the site of Kirkhill castle, which was burnt down about thirty years ago, and the name of which figures so repeatedly in the history of Scotland. Although Shakspeare caused Macduff to slay Macbeth at Dunsinane, yet Scotch history and legendary lore show that the killing took place on a spot in the grounds around what is now Belmont castle, and there are maps two and three centuries old of the old Kirkhill castle domain which show a mound with the words "Here Macduff slew Macbeth." It was in the dungeons of Kirkhill castle that Isabella, the daughter of Macduff, was kept in captivity, and starved to death, her sufferings being so great before she died that she gnawed the flesh from her fingers. A large bowlder in the park at Belmont marks the spot where young Osbert, son of Siward, who was associated with Macbeth in the conflict with Macduff, fell and was buried, and eighty years ago a large stone coffin was found beneath the bowlder, and is now preserved in the vaults of Belmont castle.

The place also figures in Tennyson's poems, especially those dealing with King Arthur and the Knights of the Round Table. His Queen Guinevere was a native of the district, and the story goes that after her misconduct she returned there to live in a nunnery, a life of penance. This penitential story is dealt with by Tennyson, though local tradition affirms that she was put in captivity on Barry hill, in the vicinity, and there torn to pieces by wild beasts.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman bought the property for about a quarter of a million dollars, and has spent as much more in building, in which he has displayed a greater regard for comfort and modern conveniences than for the historical associations and legends of the place.

One of the most shocking things in connection with the recent conviction of the unfortunate former member of parliament for Glasgow, Hugh Watt, for conspiracy to murder his first wife, is the fact that, owing to there being no criminal court of appeal, there is no possibility whatsoever of obtaining a new trial or the revision of the sentence of five years' penal servitude inflicted upon him. No one dreamt that he would be convicted. For the witnesses against him were all three men of more than questionable reputation, two of them being indeed of avowed infamy. The story which they told about his having incited them to murder Mrs. Watt was of so ludicrously extravagant a character as to indicate that if it had been true, Hugh Watt must have been insane, whereas he showed throughout the trial, and especially when placed in the witness box to testify in his own behalf, that he was possessed of his full reason.

Yet the melodramatic elements of the wild tale told by these witnesses, who admitted that they had cheated him quite as flagrantly as any confidence men, appealed to such an extent to the petty tradesmen and small shopkeepers, of whom the jury was constituted, that they rendered a verdict of "guilty," leaving to the judge no alternative but to inflict the sentence which he imposed upon him.

Not one man of education in a thousand believes Hugh Watt guilty, and there is a widespread impression that the presiding judge, Sir Robert Phillimore, allowed himself to be unduly influenced by the defendant's divorce court record to refrain from pointing out more strongly than he did the fact that the incredibility of the story of the witnesses for the prosecution was not supported by an credibility in their character.

Meanwhile Lord Roden's daughter and heiress is left in an ambiguous position. She first married Sir Reginald Beauchamp, who is well known in this country. He secured a divorce from her, naming Hugh Watt as co-respondent. On the strength of the evidence, Mrs. Watt, daughter of Capt. Welstead of Battle Sussex, obtained a decree nisi against her husband, but refused to have it made absolute, or the divorce complete. This can only be done on the application of the successful plaintiff. Consequently the subsequent marriage of Hugh Watt with the ex-Lady Violet Beauchamp remains tainted with bigamy and invalid, and her children by Hugh Watt illegitimate.

He Wanted to Know.

"I've met several other people from your city," said the Bostonian, "and every one of them said, 'Where is it at?'"

"Where is what at?" demanded the New Yorker.—Philadelphia Press.

A LINE-O'-TYPE OR TWO.

"NOT FOR TODAY"

"Not for today or tomorrow, but for all time."
—William Rainey Harper.

Men's lives are such scant things, forsooth;
A blown breath in eternity—
A backward glance from age to youth,
And then the eyes no longer see.
But this man had the farther sight,
The inner vision, which looks on
Until it cleaves the veil of night
And finds the silver of the dawn.

His life is done? Ah, no! The shell
That cased his soul shrinks to the dust,
And muffled chant and tolling bell
Tell of our grief—for grieve me must;
But as we know each marching star
Or fades or sends its light to earth,
Yet holds its pathway, near or far,
So do we know his work and worth.

"Not for today"—not for the time
The dial binds in puny round—
But for the years to come, sublime,
His firmer purposes he found.
His dreams are waxing into deeds;
His hope, with endless striving filled,
To something higher, grander leads—
So does a great life build and build.

No bounding lines of birth and death
Can compass his life and its course,
For it heeds neither pulse nor breath,
But surges on with growing force.
And now, though his white hands we fold
In God's great peace across his breast,
Still do we know that now they hold
More than before they have possessed.

W. D. N.

IN A MINOR KEY.

A Chance to Do Good.

"Mr. Muntoburn," said the caller, "I know the value of your time, and I will come to the point at once. Don't you want to have your life insured for $100,000?"

"I am already carrying several times that amount," said the multimillionaire. "Besides, young man, do you think I need any life insurance?"

"To be perfectly frank about it, sir, I know you don't."

"Then why do you think it worth while to try to get me to take out a policy?"

"Because you'll never miss the money it will cost you. Because I'm down at the heels and out at the elbows, and I need a lift. Because the commission I'll get on your policy, if you take one, will make me independently rich for a whole year. Because you can't find ways to spend half your income, and this will give you another outlet for it, while at the same time you will be assisting a poor but deserving young man to earn a living."

Mr. Muntoburn reflected a moment.

"It's true I don't need any life insurance," he said, "but I do need some active young fellow to stay about here, receive agents, peddlers, solicitors, and bores in general, listen to their talk, and politely kick them out, and I think you'll do for that. Your salary will be $2,000 a year. Will that be satisfactory? All right. You may begin this moment. A man that wants to give me lessons in physical exercise will be here in about five minutes. He has nearly talked the ear off me several times. I'm tired of him, and I want you to give him his walking papers. Think you can do it? All right."

As the result of the subsequent interview with the physical instructor, the general nature and principal details of which the multimillionaire in his private office had no difficulty in following, the young man kept his job.

Still in Doubt.

Reporter—"Uncle, to what do you attribute your long life?"

Oldest Inhabitant—"I don't know yit, young feller. They's several of these patent medicine companies that's dickerin' with me."

Only a Beginning.

The guest, before retiring for the night, handed over the counter a small packet containing his valuables.

"What is this?" loftily asked the hotel clerk.

"You may—er—consider it an installment on my bill," timidly answered the guest.

Gothamite Profanity.

Disgusted and angered beyond measure at the escape of his prisoner, the New York policeman uttered a terrible oath.

"Dad Bingham!" he exclaimed.

C. W. T.

CHICAGO.

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In Chicago where the Pig is
The prevailing source of Trade,
And where everything as big is
As by mortals can be made,
One is apt to feel in danger
Of exaggerating when
One discourses to a stranger
Of its magnitude and men.

In its manners, free and easy—
None imported from the east;
In its morals, loose and breezy,
But original, at least;
In municipal affairs it
Seems to manage as it likes,
And its politics prepares it
For abundant mobs and strikes.

As for climate—frigid—torrid—
Always either one and mean,
And the smoke there is so horrid
That the town is never clean:
What it cultivates is bluster,
Business and brag and bluff,
As material for luster
These are counted good enough.

Wild it is, but not so woolly
As it was some years ago,
And its mind is made up fully
That all other towns are slow:
Pluck and pull and push! The dockyards
Hold the Nation's store of wheat,
And in Swift's and Armour's stockyards
Is the world's supply of meat!

—Felix Carmen.

Natural Conclusion.

[From Lippincott's Magazine.]

Daniel Drew was an exceedingly absent-minded man, as Depew in his charming anecdotes has had occasion to remind us. Here is a story, however, that Depew never got hold of:

Drew made a point of buying all his own clothing, against repeated protests from his wife, who was frequently at her wits' ends to know how to manage his somewhat ill-assorted wardrobe.

"Daniel," she said one day, "you must get some underdrawers." (She spoke, of course, in the seclusion of their own apartments.)

"Yes, my dear," was the reply; and that night Daniel came home with a bundle containing undershirts. Undershirts he had in great abundance, but of the article his wife had suggested his buying the specimens on hand were almost past wearing. The good lady's patience was exhausted. When next she prepared clean clothes for him she laid out two undershirts and no underdrawers. When he had dressed and gone out she found evidences of his having donned both garments.

Among that day's items in his notebook the following was subsequently discovered:

"The underwear of today is not what it used to be. Underdrawers are made much too small in the legs—so much so, in fact, that one has to slit them up to make them go on. They fit loosely about the waist and are not an aid to a man's sitting down. In fact, they seem not at all suited to the needs of the human frame."

THE LETTERS OF HENRIC IBSEN.

REVIEWED BY ELIA W. PEATTIE.

There are many reasons why America does not produce artists of the first quality, and one of them may be inferred by reading "THE LETTERS OF HENRIC IBSEN" (Fox, Duffield & Co.) It is that whereas in Europe the genius places his art above his personality, in America men are inclined to place their independence, their reputation as men, and their self-respect above all considerations. They are willing to make some sacrifices for art, but they will not include their pride in these. A first class American—or even a second class one—must stand upright, earning his bread, accepting no man's patronage, and justifying himself by his capability to defend himself in the struggle.

Not so in Europe. A first class European, intellectually speaking, may, and often does, hold his gifts as of more importance than his pride. He cares more for the verdict of posterity upon his genius than for the criticisms of his contemporaries upon his character as a man.

Ibsen's letters show him to have been a mendicant. He begged of the government, of the king, of various societies, and accepted without demur assistance from individuals. When he believed that travel was required for the enrichment of his mind, he stated the case to the government, which sometimes provided him with the means. When he wished to collect material for a volume he said so to the council of the University of Christiania, which occasionally granted his petition. Ibsen would, no doubt, in the days of his productive youth, have considered the indulgence of any pride that interfered with his creative labors as mere egotism, and of a selfish and narrow variety.

The symbolist who has been inclined to read into Ibsen's lines covert meanings will find himself set right in no uncertain terms by the frank letters of the master. He says of "Brand," for example: "It is an esthetic work pure and simple. What it may have demolished or built up is a matter of absolute indifference to me. It came into being as the result of something I had not observed, but experienced; it was a necessity for me to free myself from something which my inner man had done with, by giving poetic form to it; and when by this means I had got rid of it my book had no longer any interest for me."

This is written to a young critic, a lady, who had been placing a religious interpretation upon a work which Ibsen distinctly declares to have been secular in its intent. And to forearm himself against her disapproval he says: "Perhaps you have not yet clearly realized what art and poetry really are; in which case, pray believe, meanwhile, that they are not of the evil one!" He questions this correspondent in this manner: "Is it your intention to pursue the career of an author? For this, something else and more is required than talent. One must have something to create from, some life experience. The author who has not that, does not create; he only writes books."

This same terseness, directness—bluntness, even—is the character of Ibsen's letters from the first to the last. It is extraordinary that a writer who has been accredited so often with clouded meanings, with obscure dramatic and ethical purposes, who has been looked upon as the most cryptic of the anarchs, should express himself so clearly as he continually does upon matters of art, politics, religion, private morals, friendship, and the other details of intellectual and spiritual life.

In friends he did not much believe. At least, he was of the opinion that a man of genius was forced to pay too high a price for them, and often tied his own hands when he became bound with obligations of friendship and hospitality. Concerning love he says little, but he appears to have "loved one lady and but only one." No love letters appear in the collection, however. Ibsen does not betray the secrets of his soul. He does not even argue about his political convictions, though they were so strong as to force him into exile. The reader perceives, or surmises a certain scorn in the dramatist, but it is indicated by silence more than by utterance.

Now and then some warm and generous impulse appears to have moved this reticent man, but it is his devotion to his genius which he considers as a thing apart from himself and yet dependent upon himself for preservation and development, which dominates the greater part of his movements. When it is known that he separated himself from his father and mother and all blood relations save one sister that he might pursue his career unhampered by uncongenial home society, the austerity of his devotion to his art will be appreciated. To comment upon this conduct, however, would not meet with Ibsen's approval. He speaks with frank disdain of critics who have been so influenced by theology as to be incapable of judging of literature and life.

He was an unwilling letter writer, and the epistles published in this copious volume were drawn from him by circumstance. He loses few opportunities for confessing his aversion to letter writing. The culture shown in these letters is broad. It has been held by more than one critic that Ibsen's experience with life was limited, his knowledge parochial, and his outlook provincial. This criticism is not sustained by these letters. He could appreciate the spirit of all Scandinavia, of Germany, Italy, and to an extent of France and England. And if he has a culture of more breadth than might have been imagined, he has proved, too, to have sane and undeviating consistency. He has made no compromises.

The public with all its clamor has not been able to confuse him. He has listened first to the voice of his own artistic conscience. He has known what he wished to do, and he has done it. He has not placated the critics or bought the populace. He could not afford friendship and he preferred his career to his kin. He was a beggar for the sake of his mistress, art, and he has without flinching set himself to the task of formulating the drama of the new time—the drama that the men and women of today find to be a faithful interpretation of their own complex existences, in which confusion and weariness play too large a part.

The volume has been well edited and prefaced by the translators of the letters, John Nilsen Laurvik and Mary Morrison.

YELLOW NEWSPAPER GLOSSARY.

[NEW YORK SUN.]

PRETTY GIRL—Any unmarried human female less than 35 years old who gets into the news.

SOCIETY MATRON—Any married woman, from a bartender's wife up through the social grade, who gets into the news.

SOCIETY GIRL—Synonymous with "pretty girl." See above.

EXCLUSIVE—Adjective applied to any club or social organization which excludes Indians not taxed, convicts, and persons of more than one-half negro blood.

NOT EXPECTED TO RECOVER—Phrase applied to the condition of all persons injured in course of news story.

PROMINENT YALE GRADUATE—Any one wearing a boiled shirt, arrested for anything above a misdemeanor.

MULTI-MILLIONAIRE—Person possessed of property worth $50,000 or over, or a relative of a person listed in the Social Register. Up to three years ago "millionaire" was used in the same sense.

THIRTY-TWO CALIBER, PEARL HANDLED—Phrase which must always be attached to the noun "revolver," unless otherwise ordered.

TOT—Any child under 7. In a pathetic story the adjective "tiny" must always be prefixed.

PLUCKY WOMAN—Any woman who did not scream.

HEROINE—Principal female character in any burglary story. Otherwise synonymous with "plucky woman," q. v.

PROMINENT CLUBMAN—Any bachelor leasing apartments at $30 a month and upward. Also members of the Paul Kelly and Timothy D. Sullivan associations who happen to be arrested while wearing dress suits.

FATALLY INJURED—See "not expected to recover," above.

FASHIONABLE APARTMENT HOUSE—Any dwelling which has an elevator.

TODDLE—Verb applied to the walk of a tiny tot. See under "tot" for correct usage.

WELL DRESSED—Phrase always applied to a woman who, when arrested, is comparatively clean. Must be used in a story about a prominent clubman, q. v. above.

SNUG SUM—Money.

RAFFLES—Any thief who wears a collar.

CRISP FIVE DOLLAR BILL—Five dollars.

COZY—Adjective always applied to home to which the remains are taken.

WUZ—Synonymous with "was," but indicates dialect.

HURLED—Motion of passengers, cars, and cabs at the time of the accident.

FAINT—Course taken by all the women within six blocks of the accident.

SCREAM—See "faint" above.

WILD PANIC—Inevitable result of the accident.

DASH—Gait of the crowd at the time of the accident. "Rush" is synonymous. "Run" is not good usage.

D—N—Damn.

HEIR—Child having $300 coming to him from a life insurance policy.

RING OUT—What shots always do.

HURTLE—Verb used of motion of any falling object, especially a brick or a suicide.

HAVOC—Good word to use almost anywhere.

HIGH—Adjective which must be prefixed to noun "noon" in the account of a fashionable wedding.

TRUST—Any money not owned by the proprietor.

SLAY—Synonymous with obsolete verb "kill."

JUGGLE—What is always done with the funds of a bank or trust company.

IRONMASTER—See Andrew Carnegie.

COLLEGE GIRL—Any woman who has ever gone to school.

BANDIT—Person guilty of crime against property for which the penalty is more than ten days in jail.

BURLY—Adjective always applied to a male negro.

PROMINENT—Descriptive adjective applied to farmers, plumbers, and dentists.

BOUDOIR—Any bedroom the rent of which is more than $1.50 a week.

GLOBE TROTTER—Any one who has been to Hohokus, N. J., Kittery, Me., or Peru, Ind.

DEAL—Any business transaction which involves more than $1,000.

GEMS—Personal ornaments worth more than $1.75.

PERIL—A great word to use almost anywhere. It tones up the story.

PERSONAL

By the will of the late William B. Skidmore Morristown, N. J., is presented with a $50,000 library.

George Meredith is one of the old school of authors who refuses to use a steel pen and still sticks to the quill.

Charles Mulford Robinson of Rochester, N. Y., who is a civic art expert, has been invited to Denver for the purpose of making an investigation of the municipal improvements.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Canadian premier, has received word that a battleship will be sent to France to convey the body of the late M. Prefontaine, the Canadian minister, back from France for burial.

Adjt. Gen. Percy Haly is coming in for full credit for the defeat of Joe Blackburn for senator from Kentucky and the election of Judge Paynter. Haly was a pupil of the late Gov. Goebel and is only 29.

The Garter which has been conferred on the mikado is set with diamonds and the star of the order is in diamonds, and the George, which is pendent to the collar of the order, is carved in onyx and set round with brilliants. It cost something well over $5,000.

Queen Maud of Norway will need little tuition in the speech of her new realm, for she took to the Danish language with instinctive ease during her girlhood. It is said that the differences between the two languages, both in vocabulary and pronunciation, are merely dialectic.

Francis Villiers, the new English minister at Lisbon, bears a name that is extremely well known at the foreign office. His father was three times foreign secretary, and his marble statue at the foot of the grand staircase is the only memorial of its kind which has been erected in the department.

Unprecedented Action.

"Young Boemwaller is a rank failure as a legislator!" indignantly said the Hon. Thomas Rott. "Why, when in the course of debate I denominated him a falsifier he struck me on the nose, when, if he had been at all acquainted with parliamentary usage, he would have known that it was permissible only to hurl the calumny back in my teeth. There's a yellow streak in that fellow, as sure as you are born."—Puck.

Why It Didn't Show.

"Has that new friend of yours any business ability?"

"O, yes."

"Well, it doesn't show on the surface."

"No, he's an official of the underground railway."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Question.

"The airship is still in its infancy."

"Say!"

"Well?"

"Do you think they'll ever get that child raised?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

BREAKING IT GENTLY.

Passerby—"Is that your pork down there on the road, guv'nor?"
Farmer—"Pork! What d'ye mean? There's a pig o' mine out there."
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Why It Didn't Show.

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's an official of the underground
-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Question.

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Louisville Courier-Journal.

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CUBAN COUNTESS DENIED DAMAGES

Court Holds Brooke Not Personally Liable for Voiding Havana Franchise.

BIG SWINDLE OF POOR.

Chief of Weights and Measures Says Many Dealers Give False Weight.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE.
New York, Jan. 11.

Judge Holt of the United States District court today dismissed the suit brought against Maj. Gen. John R. Brooke, U. S. A., retired, by Donna Francesca O'Reilly Decamara, countess of Buena Vista, to recover damages because an order was issued by Gen. Brooke abolishing her hereditary right to slaughter the cattle used for beef in Havana, Cuba.

Countess Denied Redress for Voided Franchise.

Although the court holds that the countess has no remedy at law against the defendant, Judge Holt declared that, in his opinion, she has a good claim for damages against the United States government, which confirmed, officially, all of Gen. Brooke's orders.

The family of the countess is one of the oldest and most influential in Cuba and one of her ancestors, many generations ago, was given the hereditary slaughtering right, and the family maintained extensive slaughtering houses in Havana, receiving $2 for each beef killed.

Gen. Brooke, when governor general of Cuba, confirmed the order of Gen. Ludlow revoking the hereditary right and gave it to the city of Havana, which used the revenue thus derived in its general expenditures. The order of Gen. Brooke likewise was confirmed by Secretary of War Root.

The countess then sued Gen. Brooke for damages.

"The plaintiff has a just claim for damages," Judge Holt says, "for the destruction of her property against the United States under its obligations assumed in its treaty with Spain, or against Cuba under its obligations assumed in its treaty with the United States, or against both governments, but she no longer has any right of action remaining against this defendant."

The steamer Prinz Oskar arrived today from Genoa, Palermo, and Naples three days late owing to violent gales and stormy weather from Gibraltar to this port.

Patrick Derry, chief of the bureau of weights and measures, has just submitted a report to the mayor that will cause the liveliest kind of a sensation in the community. He declares without the slightest equivocation that the public has been and is being systematically robbed, particularly the poor, by everybody from whom the poor have to make purchases of the necessaries of life. He says butchers, grocers, fish peddlers, poultry dealers, coal dealers, produce merchants, in fact, in all lines of business, work a regular "shell game" daily. Scales are fixed beforehand so that the poor woman paying for a pound of meat sometimes gets as little as ten ounces, and it is the same way with all others.

Many Dealers Swindle by False Scales.

Chief Derry simply calls them robbers of the worst kind and an investigation looking toward their swift punishment already is under way. The report says that inspection of scales in Washington market just before Christmas revealed that some scales were set against a customer from four ounces to two pounds.

It was reported today that Mrs. Burke Roche and her father, Frank Work, have become reconciled. They became estranged because of the alleged extravagance of Mrs. Roche.

Sir Thomas Lipton is making plans for another campaign against the New York Yacht club next year, and the object will be the America cup, for which the Irish baronet already has tried three times.

Sir Thomas Lipton Will Try Again for Yacht Honor.

A letter received in this city from Sir Thomas says he still has hopes for capturing the famous trophy, and is considering plans for the building of a new challenger, which he hopes to have here some time in 1907.

Just what plans he is making now he will not divulge, but he is pleased to think that the next time he comes he can bring a good, wholesome type of boat, and will be met by one built under certain restrictions that will bar excessive overhangs and other freakish features.

It is said on good authority that Sir Thomas may bring over a schooner and that the new boat will be built up to the limit of that type of yacht allowed under the terms of the deed of gift, which is 115 feet on the water line.

Hugh Bonner, who has been connected with the metropolitan fire department for forty years, was today appointed deputy fire commissioner for Manhattan borough.

By the will of Andrew J. Dotger of South Orange, N. J., the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial institute will eventually receive a bequest that promises to be the largest in its history. At the death of the testator's wife, Clara L. Dotger, the entire residuary estate, said to be about half a million dollars, will go to the endowment fund of Booker T. Washington's negro school. The present endowment is a little over $1,000,000. The will containing the bequest has just been filed for probate at Newark, N. J. The will also contains a number of considerable bequests to Orange institutions in which Mr. Dotger took a great deal of interest.

Negro Institute to Come Into $500,000.

It was announced today that John A. McCall, former president of the New York Life Insurance company has given a trust deed on his home in Long Branch, N. J., to secure the $150,000 note which he gave the New York Life in part payment for moneys which had been advanced by the company to Andrew Hamilton and not yet returned by Mr. Hamilton. The total amount advanced to Mr. Hamilton and unaccounted for by him was $235,000, and in addition to the note Mr. McCall gave the company a check for $85,000. The deed to his home is made jointly with his wife and covers a handsome country seat, comprising about fifty acres.

McCall Mortgages Home to Secure $150,000.

Hadley being dropped from the vice presidency of the Equitable Trust company, James Hazen Hyde has lost his job as vice president of the Mercantile Trust company. He also has retired from the Mercantile's board of directors.

Hyde's income as an officer of the Equitable and of the Mercantile Trust company amounted to $22,000—$10,000 from the former and $12,000 from the latter.

Hyde Loses Two Salaries Reaching $22,000.

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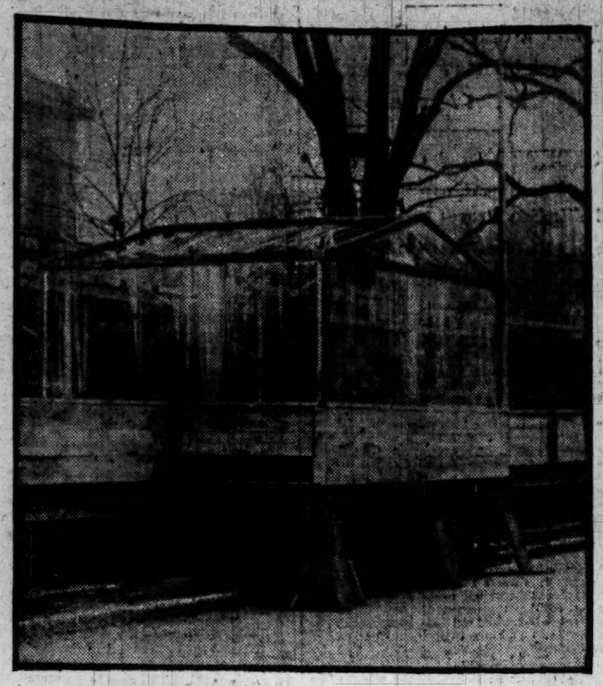
Glass Cage from Which Gov. Pattison Saw Parade at His Inauguration.



The picture shows the glass cage in which Gov. Pattison of Ohio stood on foot warmers while he was reviewing the inaugural parade at Columbus on Monday. The cage was necessary owing to the condition of the new governor's health.

NEWS OF THE RAILWAYS.

RAILROADS CUT DOWN THE NUMBER OF PASSES ISSUED.

Politicians and Employes of Government Fail to Receive Free Transportation, but Large Manufacturers, Coal Operators, and Grain Merchants, Who Give Roads Large Freight Business, Notice No Change in Custom.

All classes of men are being hit by the spasm of virtue which has seized the railroads in the matter of issuing free transportation except the large manufacturer, coal operator, or grain merchant, who can furnish the railroads with a large quantity of freight every year. Although the railroads have protested loudly that no complimentary passes would be issued after Jan. 1 to induce business to their lines, the curtailment has not been noticeable, and the shippers are not complaining seriously.

But the servants of Uncle Sam, and the politicians, national, state, and municipal, have noticed a material falling off in the shower of little white cards labeled 1906, which would entitle them to ride free upon railroad trains, and there is in consequence a widespread dejection in their ranks. There is a grain of hope, however, which the politicians and others manage to extract from the situation, and that comes from the fact that similar spasms have seized the railroads before, though never in quite so violent a form as the present, but they have been of short duration, and usually before the first quarter of the year has passed the railroad presidents have relented.

Charge Government Full Rates.

The latest strike of the railroads in the matter of transportation is the decision of all the roads to cease granting special rates to Uncle Sam's soldiers and sailors. In 1901, there being a particularly heavy travel of enlisted men and officers on furlough to and from the Philippines, many of these men having to travel way across the continent to reach their homes, the railroads granted a rate of 1½ cents a mile for the officers and men in the army and navy and their immediate families and dependents. This rate was a great boon to the enlisted men and officers, and has made it possible for some of them to visit their homes which otherwise they could not have done.

In the movement of troops by the government the railroads have made a practice during the last five years of giving the government special rates, below the usual party rates, and there has been considerable competition in bidding for this business. The railroads have decided to abolish this practice and to charge the United States government the full party rate on all movement of troops.

A preliminary report just issued by the Pennsylvania railroad, which operates the Union station on the west side, showing the amount of baggage handled in and out of the station during the year 1905, reflects accurately the enormous amount of travel which flows through that ancient pile. The figures show that a total of 1,702,839 pieces of baggage were handled in and out of the station last year as against 1,644,501 in 1904. The following table shows the amount for each road, received and forwarded:

Road.	Rec'd.	For'd.	Total.
Pittsburg and Fort Wayne	115,985	103,060	219,045
St. Paul	329,716	308,398	638,114
Burlington	213,472	234,540	448,012
Alton	97,856	91,500	189,418
Panhandle	111,090	97,160	208,250
Increase over 1904	27,916	30,423	58,339

It is remarkable that in the handling of this enormous amount of baggage not a single piece was lost. The total amount of repairs which the company was called upon to pay for damaged baggage was $23.45. The report also shows that there was a considerable increase in the average daily tonnage of United States mail handled in and out of the station. For 1905 the mail averaged 360 tons a day, while in 1904 it averaged 330 tons.

Hanson Elected Chairman.

At the meeting of the Western Passenger association yesterday A. H. Hanson, passenger traffic manager of the Illinois Central, was elected chairman of the executive committee in place of P. S. Eustis of the Burlington, who has held that position for several years. No other changes were made at the meeting, and Eben McLeod still remains chairman of the association.

NEW $50,000 BUILDING FOR THE ST. CHARLES BOYS' HOME.

Will Be Erected by Commercial Association This Year—Gov. Deneen Names Two Trustees.

The St. Charles home for boys will have a new $50,000 building this year. It will be erected by the Chicago Commercial association, that body having pledged itself to do so over a year ago.

Yesterday Gov. Deneen appointed two trustees on the board on the recommendation of the Commercial association—J. Harley Bradley, head of the Bradley implement works, and Benjamin Carpenter of the Carpenter Manufacturing company. Judge Tuthill and T. B. Turley were reappointed.

Other appointments by Gov. Deneen yesterday were:

Dr. Harold Ovensen of Ottawa, trustee of the Illinois charitable eye and ear infirmary, to succeed Dr. Allport of Chicago. The law provides that only one trustee can be appointed from one county, and inasmuch as there were two from Cook county Dr. Ovenson was named in place of Dr. Allport.

Judge Rufus Neeley of Marion, Williamson county, commissioner of the Chester penitentiary, to succeed John Duncan, who is seriously ill and handed his resignation to Gov. Deneen on Wednesday. Judge Neeley was recommended by Mr. Duncan.

PRIOR'S SUICIDE DUE TO FORGERY?

Broker's Death Attributed to Numerous Sales of Bogus Bonds.

FAILURE OVER $1,000,000.

Bankers' Committee Investigating Affairs Believes Firm Is Insolvent.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—With the announcement this afternoon by the bankers' committee examining the accounts of the brokerage firm of Denison, Prior & Co. that forged bonds had been discovered, the primary motive for the suicide on Tuesday of Leland W. Prior, president of the firm, became known. It is the opinion of one of those engaged in the investigation that the failure will amount to from $1,000,000 to $1,500,000.

Prior, is believed by bankers who are probing his affairs to have sold forged municipal bonds in various parts of the country to the extent at least of $100,000. In addition, he was heavily involved with customers for whom he was supposed to be carrying New York stock exchange accounts.

Confederates in Bond Deal.

Who engraved these bonds and who assisted Prior in disposing of them has not been revealed, but the bankers' committee which has charge of all of the affairs of the suspended firm has put detectives at work, and arrests may be expected. That there must have been several confederates employed in the manufacture of bogus certificates seems clear. The bonds were sold in small lots, some in Cleveland, others in northern Ohio and others in Michigan. Still others were distributed, it is believed, through bond houses in the east.

This much has been discovered. The bonds were not sold in large quantities to any one investor and individual losses will not be heavy. In all cases, it is stated, the loss will fall upon individuals well able to suffer the loss.

Think Firm Insolvent.

The bankers' committee announcement regarding the forged bonds contained the following statement issued late today:

"Examination of the books has not yet proceeded far enough to enable the committee to make any definite statement, but sufficient has been learned to warrant it in stating that it is forced to believe the firm insolvent, but to what extent we cannot tell. We also are convinced that certain municipal bonds which have been used by the firm have been forged, to what amount we are unable to determine."

Frank W. Rockefeller, the heaviest loser through Prior's downfall, said today:

"I think the stories of my recent investments have been exaggerated in the gossip around town. I am not carrying 50,000 shares of Anaconda or 16,000 shares of Republic. Of course I had done a good business through the house and had a considerable amount of stock up as collateral. I suppose it is gone now."

City to Pay Riot Victim $2,500.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 11.—Clement Mead, the railroad clerk who was wounded by a bullet during a packing house strike riot in August, 1904, at the Swift packing plant here, today obtained a verdict for $2,500 damages against the city. A Kansas law makes a city liable for acts of mobs on streets.

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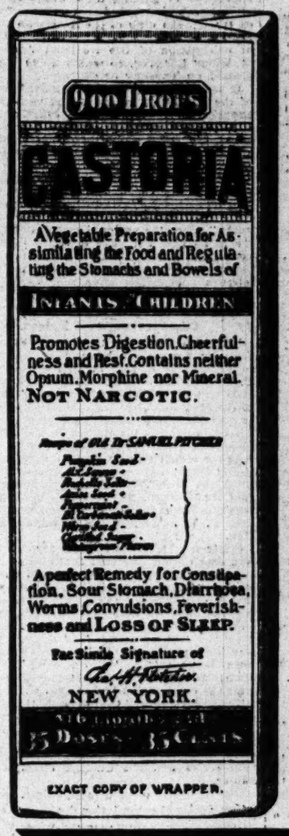

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Dr. S. A. Buchanan, of Philadelphia, Pa., says: "I have used your Castoria in the case of my own baby and find it pleasant to take, and have obtained excellent results from its use."

Dr. J. E. Simpson, of Chicago, Ill., says: "I have used your Castoria in cases of colic in children and have found it the best medicine of its kind on the market."

Dr. R. E. Eskildsen, of Omaha, Neb., says: "I find your Castoria to be a standard family remedy. It is the best thing for infants and children I have ever known and I recommend it."

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Dr. Edwin F. Pardee, of New York City, says: "For several years I have recommended your Castoria and shall always continue to do so, as it has invariably produced beneficial results."

Dr. N. B. Sizer, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I object to what are called patent medicines, where maker alone knows what ingredients are put in them, but I know the formula of your Castoria and advise its use."

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FOOTBALL'S FATE IN THE BALANCE.

Future of College Game Rests with the Rule Makers, Who Meet Today.

SITUATION IS TANGLED.

Camp Urges All Friends of Sport to Work Together for Radical Reform.

New York, Jan. 11.—[Special.]—With meetings of both rules committees to be held in this city tomorrow, the football situation is considerably tangled, but not so much so that the different ends to the string cannot be woven into one when the legislators discuss affairs face to face.

Harvard has decided to forsake the old committee and send a delegate to the new. Reid will bring the recommendations of the Harvard graduates' committee which, when sifted down, are much the same as have been recommended in a general way by football enthusiasts before.

Another phase of the situation is the fact that Yale favors amalgamation with the new committee. Some college men are wondering why Harvard did not wait to see whether amalgamation could be accomplished before cutting loose and giving the old committee a direct slap.

Once amalgamation is a fact there may be trouble in deciding on the actual working plan. The latest cloud on the by no means cloudless football sky is that several colleges are complaining there are too many Yale graduates on the two committees. Here are the makeups of the two committees and the institutions from which each committeeman graduated:

Old committee—Camp, Yale; Stagg, Yale; Fine, Princeton; Dashiel, Lehigh; Dennis, Michigan; Reid, Harvard; Bell, Pennsylvania.

New committee—Williams, Yale; Babbitt, Yale; Savage, Oberlin; Hall, Dartmouth; Daly, Harvard and West Point; Lees, Western Reserve and Johns Hopkins; Curtiss, Purdue.

How to Save Football.

In today's meetings of these men Walter Camp, the veteran Yale coach, places the greatest hopes for the salvation of the game. In a timely interview published in the current issue of Public Opinion he expresses his views on the problem of "How Can Football Be Saved?" and by them advocates radical reforms.

He believes that only by the united action of the friends of football along this direction can the game be saved from its enemies, and the keynote of his interview, placing reliance on tomorrow's meetings, is contained in the sentence: "I am trying to get together all those of us who still love the game. The life of the sport rests now wholly with its friends and their action in the immediate future."

Among the methods of reforming the game Mr. Camp advocates are the ten yard rule, the abolition of mass plays in favor of open field work, prohibiting tackles below the knee and hurdling, choosing stricter officials, and inflicting heavier penalties for unnecessary roughness. In addition he believes the committee should court and welcome suggestions and cooperation from all possible sources which may help the reform movement.

Game Must Be Preserved.

"Football must be reformed," Mr. Camp says, "but it must be done so that football as it is played will be something like football as it has been played, without the objectionable features."

Regarding the game played in Wichita at which the ten yard rule was tried, and, according to reports, found wanting, the Yale expert said: "It was only an experiment, and there is no indication from its results that a team with a season's coaching behind it could not do better. As for that matter of not scoring, the Chicago-Michigan game, which I saw, did not result in a touchdown, either, and I doubt if the number of first downs made was materially greater than at Wichita, but it was, nevertheless, an intensely interesting game.

"You must notice this point about that Kansas game, however. Not a man was taken out on account of injuries. It was a clean game from start to finish. The ten yard rule evidently does away with roughness in the scrimmages. I am not sure but the tackle below the knees must go, too. Hurdling must also be prohibited.

Why Open Plays Fail.

"It is said that against the modern defense nothing but the mass play will avail. I don't believe it. In coaching the team at New Haven last fall I believed the reason plays outside of tackle never have been successful is because they are not practiced enough. A team perfects its mass plays throughout the season, and then toward the end runs off a few plays outside tackle. Of course, when the big games come, the play is not successful.

"Under a ten yard rule line smashing no longer would guarantee in three tries a first down, and a chance to repeat the performance. There would be a necessity of taking a chance on something else, and it would be taken, for the team with the ball would realize that, even if it lost the ball, its opponents would have an equally hard proposition to advance it. It would increase the chances of the game. It would be more of a gamble where now it is a certainty."

Raps Western Systems.

In speaking of other football abuses, such as commercialism and professionalism, Mr. Camp aimed a blow at western football by speaking of recent "revelations" regarding the sport, and closing with the remark that he believed football professionalism was almost entirely confined to the middle west. "No large eastern university would countenance such a thing nowadays. Moreover such methods are not necessary," he said.

Regarding the "indirect compensation" given many eastern football players in the shape of agencies for clothing, etc., to which the students come and buy because they are run by this or that popular player, Mr. Camp said he did not see how that practice could be ended. "If a fellow is a poor man and doesn't play football, can't he earn his way through college by carrying on these businesses? In fact, we applaud him and point with pride to him as a self-made man. But the moment he becomes a football player it is different. I suppose we ought to have every football player make an affidavit that he is independently wealthy before we allow him to play!"

LEFT TO BELL'S DISCRETION.

Pennsylvania Favors Uniting Two Rules Committees—Football Captain's Election Is Not Ratified.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 11.—At a meeting today of the University of Pennsylvania committee on athletics it was decided not to hamper John C. Bell, the university's representative on the football rules committee with instruction on the question of the amalgamation of the two rules committees, although it was the sense of the university that its delegate should favor the newly organized body. The following resolutions on the subject were unanimously adopted:

"While in the present unsettled condition of football legislation, this committee believes it inadvisable to hamper its delegate with definite instructions, and while it fears that any material enlargement of the rules committee may result in irreconcilable differences of opinion and defeat the ultimate object in the minds of the committee that its representative shall favor the recognition of the so-called National intercollegiate Football Conference and of such other associations or institutions as by reason of their position in relation to American football, ought to be factors in the making or changing of rules.

"The committee believes the actual playing rules may be safely left to any representative committee of experts; but they are strongly of the opinion that the larger questions of the general ethics of the sport—what constitutes undergraduate eligibility and the athletic relations of educational institutions to one another—are the proper subjects for consideration at this time by faculty committees; they are fundamental, are of far more importance than the alterations of playing rules, and are questions which in their present unsatisfactory condition are the greatest menace to the game."

The university committee surprised the student body by refusing to ratify the election of Vincent M. Stevenson of Lexington, Ky., as football captain for next season. Edwin L. Greene of New Haven probably will be elected to the position. The committee gave no reason for its action.

STAGG IS IN HOSPITAL.

MAROON COACH TAKES TREATMENT FOR RHEUMATISM.

Condition of Chicago University Athletic Leader Causes No Anxiety, as It Is Only Return of Old Ailment—Will Go South in Near Future—Eckersall, It Is Announced, Will Be Back on Monday—Track Prospects at Northwestern.

Director A. A. Stagg of the University of Chicago is in a local hospital taking treatment for his old ailment, rheumatism, contracted two years ago on the football field. There is no anxiety felt over his condition. Merely to make his treatment more thorough he sought the seclusion of a hospital.

His return was unannounced and few knew that he was in the city until yesterday. He arrived several days ago with his wife from West Orange, N. J., where he had been visiting his parents and awaiting a call to a meeting of the rules committee. It is probable that he will go south before the winter is over, although no definite statement could be secured from him last night. He has been expected to resume his duties at the university about the middle of March.

Walter Eckersall will return to his class work at the university on Monday, according to official announcement. He has been in Detroit, but his friends deny he had planned to quit the university until the spring quarter.

Capt. Parry performed more astonishing feats with the shot yesterday, tossing the weight more than forty-one feet four inches several times.

TRYOUT FOR PURPLE ATHLETES.

Coach Holland Finds Several Promising Athletes at Evanston—Fifty Candidates at Work Indoors.

Coach Holland's search for sprinters among the candidates for the Northwestern track team was rewarded by the finding of three former high school men who showed great promise in the first tryout of the season yesterday afternoon. The men are Butterfield, formerly of Belvidere, Ill.; Parks of the Lake View High school, and Wright of De Kalb High school.

Another find was made yesterday in Gustine, a pole vaulter from Canton, Ill. In the tryout yesterday Gustine easily vaulted 10 feet 5 inches, and Holland declares he will reach the 11 foot mark before the final tryouts. McJohnson, pole vaulter on last year's team, has not appeared for practice, and will probably not be entered in the First Regiment meet.

Over fifty candidates from the School of Liberal Arts are now competing for places on the track team and it is expected that almost as many more will join the squad from the department schools. The candidates have been divided into two squads, those trying for the sprints and middle distance events using the board track outside, while the long distance men train on Sheridan road.

Coach Holland will devote Tuesdays and Thursdays to training the department school men and an effort will be made to secure the Central Y. M. C. A. gymnasium for this purpose. It is also proposed to hold a track meet between the department schools and the School of Liberal Arts early in February in order to give both squads a thorough trying out.

ATHLETES NOT TO BE EXCUSED.

Prof. Bashford of Wisconsin Announces No Absences Will Be Permitted for Athletic Events.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—Prof. R. M. Bashford of the University of Wisconsin College of Law has announced to his classes that he will not excuse any absences whatever that may be occasioned by the student in question when away on the quest of some athletic honor. This, he says, shall apply to members of athletic teams, and is directed primarily at spring baseball trips that take players from classes for a week at a time.

In former years a large number of baseball players and athletes of every kind have been law students, and the same is true at present, and it may affect Wisconsin's prospects for victories away from home to a considerable extent.

The student advisory committee, in meeting with President Van Hise this afternoon, recommended radical changes in the constitution of the athletic association. The committee voted unanimously to amend the constitution to provide for the representation of all interests among the student body, and to that end it was recommended that of the ten directors chosen each year six shall represent other interests than those of athletes. Four athletic members represent the four main branches of athletics—crew, football, track, and baseball. It further was recommended that the graduate manager shall have veto power in the questions of appropriations. The questions come up for a final vote at the annual meeting of the athletic association in February.

GOOD BOUTS ON COAST TONIGHT.

"Young" Corbett and Herrera Will Battle at Los Angeles, While Fitzgerald and Lewis Meet at Colma.

[BY GEORGE SILER.]

California will be the scene of two good fistic encounters tonight. The eastern fighters, Willie Fitzgerald and Willie Lewis, will hook up in a twenty-five round contest at Colma, and "Young" Corbett and Aurelia Herrera will clash in a twenty round mill before the Pacific Athletic club of Los Angeles. The last named contest is the more important, as upon the result hinges Corbett's pugilistic future.

The pudgy ex-champion featherweight during the last year lost considerable of the prestige he gained by defeating Terry McGovern, having lost his last four important battles. Besides this, his limited round contests in the east have not been up to his old time standard. Should he lose to the "Mexican," his name will be "Dennis." The winner has been promised a match with "Kid" Herman, which means quite a sum of money, as the "Kid" is a strong favorite in the southern part of the state.

The two Willies appear to be pretty evenly matched and therefore should furnish the sports a rattling fight. Pittsburgh, probably, is the more scienced, but whatever Lewis lacks in the fine points of the game he will even by his hitting powers. The boys will mill at 133 pounds, a weight that should send them into the ring in excellent fighting condition.

Hugo Kelly, the local middleweight, believes he is entitled to the first chance at Jack O'Brien, because he won a fifteen round decision over him at Indianapolis. He has challenged Jack and says if he cannot induce him to fight for a winner's and a loser's end, he will take him, winner take all.

Martin Duffy is hard at work preparing for his contest with Jack Dougherty, which is scheduled to take place at Indianapolis Monday night. There was a time, and not so long ago, that a match between Duffy and Dougherty would have been considered a farce, but Martin has been slipping back and Jack has been leaping forward, so the mill should be interesting.

Hart and Burns Are Matched.

Butte, Mont., Jan. 11.—Arrangements for a match between Billy Hart and Tommy Burns for the heavyweight championship of the world were completed in this city yesterday. The bout will be pulled off before the Pacific Athletic club in Los Angeles on Feb. 23. Pat Callahan, a miner, will meet Hart in this city in a four round bout, the champion to dispose of the miner in that time or forfeit $100.

Driving Club Elects Officers.

E. H. Wilce was elected president of the West Chicago Driving club at the annual meeting of the stockholders of that organization. The officers elected were as follows: President, E. H. Wilce; first vice president, M. Hayes; second vice president, L. J. Pantecost; third vice president, M. B. Crafts; treasurer, John Kerr; secretary, C. P. Dryden; assistant secretary, W. J. Lewis; directors, A. J. Lederwood, J. J. O'Hara, J. Hartford, W. Riebolt, C. E. Stewart.

Skating Club Installs Officers.

The installation of officers of the Northwest Skating club took place last night, the following men having been elected: President, Al. Flath; vice president, W. Hepner; secretary, W. A. Ladewig; treasurer, G. Smerling; captain, N. Johnson; racing committee, A. Flath, W. H. Patterson, S. Hussby, G. Smerling, G. Isel, G. Brall, W. Fay, and H. Brown. The racing meet which was scheduled for Humboldt park on Sunday was postponed until Jan. 28, and the entries will not close until Jan. 25.

Illinois Centrals, 10; Damens, 0.

The Illinois Centrals defeated the Damens at indoor baseball at Walhalla hall last night by a score of 10 to 0. The feature of the game was the pitching of Halas of the Centrals, who struck out sixteen men and allowed only three hits. Score:

Ill. Centrals	3	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	10
Damens	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Batteries—Halas and Wohlebeur; Kelleher and Sweeney.

Wanderer Carlers Elect Skips.

At a meeting of the Wanderers club, held last night, skips for the curling season were elected as follows: I. G. Campbell, D. C. Robertson, E. G. Kelso, C. Murray, W. Campbell, and J. Milloy. First games for the Alan Wolf trophies will be played on Monday night. A match with the Chicago Curling club will be played at Parkside Wednesday night.

Hull House, 55; U. of C. Settlement, 15

The Hull house five defeated the University of Chicago Settlement team at basketball last night by a score of 55 to 15.

GRILLO RESIGNS TO HELP MINORS.

New Drafting Rules Adopted by the National Baseball Commission.

BAN JOHNSON PACIFIED.

Insists on the Removal of Personal Enemy from the Board of Arbitration.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—The national commission, at its annual meeting today at the Grand hotel, officially adopted the new drafting rules agreed upon by the major and minor leagues. But before the minors succeeded in getting their wants from the high baseball court J. Ed Grillo, president of the Toledo club of the American association, had to resign his place on the board of arbitration of the National Association of Minor Leagues, to which place he was elected on Tuesday at Chicago.

It was said that before President Johnson of the American league would vote for the adoption of the increased drafting prices Grillo had to resign, or else the minors would be in the same state as formerly, without a chance to secure an advance. To make the resignation appear voluntary the commission, at its session, officially adopted the new rules, and then Grillo notified the members that he resigned his recently elected position.

Regarding his resignation Grillo tonight said: "When the national association elected me to its board it gave evidence of having confidence in me to protect its interests, and the proposition which confronted the minor leagues here today gave me the opportunity to prove by my resignation that confidence was not misplaced."

Change in Draft Prices.

Under the new rules the draft prices are as follows: From class A teams, $1,000, instead of $750; class B, $750 instead of $500; class C, $500 instead of $300; and the lower classes $300 instead of $200, as formerly. The price of the draft must be paid at the time the draft is made, and not in two installments, as formerly. Only one player can be drafted from class A leagues. The committee of the minor leagues which was in session with the national commission was M. H. Sexton, former president of the Western league; Judge William Kavanaugh, president of the Southern league; Secretary J. H. Farrell and President P. T. Powers of the National association.

Chairman Hermann read his annual report, and dwelt upon the fact that every finding, ruling, and notice of the national commission was unanimous, which brushes aside the severe criticism sometimes set forth charging the officials with favoring this or that league. Hermann thinks the new rules will stop the "covering up" of players which has been practiced by almost every club in organized baseball. "Covering up" of players has been one of the most serious questions that the commission had to deal with.

The report showed that seventy-three cases had been decided during the year. Secretary Bruce's report showed that the commission had handled $176,000 during the year. This includes the receipts of the world's championship series and the Chicago championship games.

Quarters for Commission.

The national commission decided to establish permanent quarters in the Wiggins block in this city. The National Association of Minor Leagues will contribute $1,000 annually to the support of these downtown offices.

The fact that the opening of the American league season has been changed to April 17 will not affect the National league, whose opening games are scheduled for April 12, according to the statement of Harry Pulliam, president of the National league.

MINORS FAIL TO ADOPT DATES.

Three Eyes Leaguers Wrangle Over Schedule, Which, After Being Accepted, Is Rescinded.

The Three Eyes league magnates, not being able to become fashionable by developing a factional fight in their meeting at the Annex yesterday, got as nearly in line with the other minor leagues as possible by having a friendly wrangle over the playing schedule for 1906, the only business for which the meeting was called.

Four schedules were submitted to the club owners, but none of them met the approval of all members of the league. After considerable discussion one of the four was adopted by a vote of 6 to 2, the Rock Island and Davenport clubs objecting because of conflicts in their dates. Following this action J. T. Hayes of the Davenport club made a plea for a reconsideration, pointing out the objectionable features of the schedule, and a motion was carried to rescind the adoption of a schedule.

New drafts will be made of the playing dates, and these will be submitted to the clubs for a mail vote not later than Feb. 1, so that another meeting will not be necessary to adopt a schedule. The election of officers having taken place at the league's business meeting last fall, there was nothing else to do but adjourn, and late evening the last of the army of baseball men which had mobilized at the Annex this week had departed for their homes.

Besides President E. M. Holland of Bloomington and Secretary Trumbull the Three Eyes league clubs were represented at the meeting as follows: Decatur, W. M. Bering and Manager Lewee; Bloomington, C. E. Miller and Manager Bender; Dubuque, W. C. Keeler and Manager Monte McFarland; Peoria, W. F. Meldroth, A. Lehmann, and Manager Charles Buelow; Springfield, Messrs. Powell Kinsella and Manager Frank Donnelly; Davenport, J. T. Hayes; Cedar Rapids, Belden Hill. The Rock Island proxy was held by Mr. Hayes of Davenport, as M. H. Sexton, the Rock Island representative, was a member of the commission which met the national commission in Cincinnati yesterday.

President Shively of the Western association announced that his league had voted to offer a prize of $100 for the best schedule for its circuit next season.

RE-ELECT CARSON PRESIDENT.

After Warm Fight South Bend Magnate Defeats Ben Mulford for Head of Central League.

Canton, O., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—On the fourth ballot cast by the directors of the Central league, who held their annual meeting here today, Dr. F. R. Carson of South Bend was reelected to the presidency for the ensuing year after the warmest fight the organization has ever had for an election. Ben Mulford, the Cincinnati newspaperman, and E. W. Dickerson of Grand Rapids were the other candidates.

Mulford led all the way until the casting of the fourth ballot, when Springfield, Dayton, and Evansville retired to the Carson fold. The election was then made unanimous.

During the morning and for the most part of the afternoon a deadlock existed, Mulford at one time having a majority of the caucus. The Carson supporters were loyal, and this was quickly reduced, however. E. F. Perkins of Wheeling was elected vice president.

President Carson was empowered to arrange a schedule of either 140 or 154 games. The season will start on April 26. A prize of $50 was offered for the person offering the best schedule. The salary list was increased to $1,600, exclusive of the manager. No club is expected to carry over twelve players and the teams must be reduced to this figure by June 1.

LOCAL GOLFERS GO TO MEXICO.

Robert Simpson and David McIntosh, Accompanied by McLeod of Rockford, to Compete in Tourney.

Robert Simpson of Riverside, David McIntosh of Westward Ho, and Fred McLeod of Rockford left last night for Mexico to take part in the International golf tournament of the Mexico Country club, which will start on Jan. 19. They will join the British and New York players at St. Louis this morning and the combined party will leave tonight for Mexico City, arriving there on Monday.

In the Chicago tournaments this summer McLeod showed himself to be one of the most consistent players in the country and as he has been practicing right along he hopes to be able to finish near the top. Simpson has not played for two months, but expects that a few rounds will put him in shape.

Tom Bendelow will leave this morning for Cincinnati, where he will lay out an eighteen hole course. He will then attend the advertising men's tournament at Pinehurst and from there go to England and Scotland.

Logansport, 12; Lafayette, 3.

Logansport, Ind., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—Logansport defeated Lafayette, 12 to 3, at polo tonight.

THE MIST WINS GOOD RACE

BEATS GORGALETTE IN A CLOSE FINISH AT OAKLAND.

Remainder of Card Is Featureless, Rain Having Effect on the Sport—Ring Has a Bad Day, Many of the Successful Horses Being Well Supported—Grace G. Is First in Baby Event—Dr. Leggo Shipped to Los Angeles.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—It began to rain early this afternoon, which had a tendency to further spoil a card that was featureless. Many winners were well backed and the ring had a bad day. The best finish of the day came in the sixth race, when Gorgalette came dangerously close to catching The Mist in the last jump. The Mist was the favorite and was well backed.

Grace G., who scored in the baby race, is a chestnut filly by Albert and owned by Jones & Lusk.

Dr. Leggo has been shipped to Los Angeles for the Pasadena handicap. Jockey Williams, the new colored boy who has been riding with conspicuous success, went on a tear Wednesday night and showed up today. He wanted to lick Knapp and other jockeys, but he drew a suspension from the judges instead. Summaries:

First race, 7-16 mile—Grace G., 107 pounds (Bock), 11 to 5, won; Pimkin, 107 (Hoffman), 4 to 1, second; Fearless Lass, 107 (Robinson), 3 to 1, third. Time, :42¾. Jill, Elota, and Yankee Jim ran.

Second race, ⅞ mile—Ocyrohe, 104 pounds (Clark), 3 to 1, won; Mocorito, 102 (Fountain), 7 to 1, second; Bountiful, 107 (Loague), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:28 1-5. Silver Heels, Waterspout, Tavora, Warte Nicht, and Walnut Hill ran.

Third race, 1 1-16 miles—Angelica, 102 pounds (Fountain), 10 to 5, won; Ray, 107 (Knapp), 9 to 5, second; Bird of Passage, 104 (J. J. Walsh), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:49¾. Frank Woods, Major Tenny, Harold W., Mr. Farnum, Macene, Phaon, Meistersinger, and Last Knight ran.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—Ed Sheridan, 95 pounds (Robinson), 7 to 5, won; Hi Caul Cap, 105 (Loague), 5 to 1, second; Byromdale, 109 (Oliphant), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:48⅘. Bill Curtis, Merry Go Round, and Ethel Abbott ran.

Fifth race, ⅝ mile—Tom McGrath, 110 pounds (Rice), 11 to 20, won; Sir Brillar, 106 (Radtke), 3 to 1, second; Instructor, 103 (Fountain), 23 to 5, third. Time, 1:13⅘. Auto Hood and Black Joe ran.

Sixth race, Futurity course—The Mist, 101 pounds (Goodchild), 6 to 5, won; Gergaletta, 105 (Radtke), 12 to 1, second; Prominence, 87 (Harty), 9 to 5, third. Time, 1:11⅘. Gravecutter, Serenity, Princess Wheeler, Succeed, and Alone ran.

ENTRIES.

First race, 11-16 mile, selling—Belle Reed, 112 pounds; Yo san, Masedo, 110; E. M. Brattain, Clarada, Raven Run, 107; Alice Rus, 105.

Second race, ⅝ mile, selling—Henry Luthermann Jr., 110 pounds; Royal Rogue, 107; Laura F. M., 105; Procrastinate, 104; Ethel Abbott, Nonie, 102; Blumenthal, Tim Hurst, Mrs. Rob D., 101; Mafalda, 100; Stillicate, Mocorito, 99.

Third race, 1¼ miles, selling—Nabonassar, 110 pounds; Ladus, Edgcliff, Invictus, Major Tenny, San Lutien, Loone, Tarrigan, Loves Labor, Bonar, 107; Iras, 105; Lellia Hill, 100.

Fourth race, 1 mile, selling—Olympian, 108 pounds; Chestnut, Forerunner, Royal White, Sherry, H. T. Gordon, Pickaway, 106; San Remo, 103; Sloe Eye, 102; Maid of Fermoy, 100; Crigil, Bonnie Reg, 97.

Fifth race, ¼ mile, selling—Trapsetter, 108 pounds; Flurry, 107; Hainault, Follow Me, Concelle, Peter J., Rocklands, 105; Cloche d'Or, 103; Trajan Hilo, 102; Gossiper, 100; Clandestine, 97.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Beau Ormonde, 110 pounds; Toupee, 107; Albert Fir, Beknighted, 105; Queen Rec, 88.

Racing Men Choose Officers.

New York, Jan. 11.—At the annual meeting of the Jockey club today Schuyler L. Parsons was elected a member and the four retiring stewards, August Belmont, James R. Keene, J. P. Bradford, and F. K. Sturgis, were reelected for two years. Following the meeting of the Jockey club the stewards were in session, reelecting Mr. Belmont as chairman and Mr. Sturgis as secretary and treasurer.

ROVER BOWLERS GET HIGH MARK

Average 999 in Kloempken League and Shut Out the Lovelands—Toemmel Does Best Work.

High mark in the local bowling leagues last night fell to the Rovers in the Kloempken league, who averaged 999. This pace was too fast for the Lovelands, who were shut out. Toemmel averaged 217, Peth 213 2-3, and Alfeld 208 2-3.

In the Sheridan league the Colonnas averaged 950 2-3 and shut out the Kenmores. Fitzpatrick's men notched 952 in the Monroe tourney and whitewashed the Lipmans, while the Hemmers took the odd game from the Brunswicks. Vollmar averaged 214 1-3, and Koenig 213 1-3. Scores:

KLOEMPKEN.

Rovers.	1.	2.	3.	Lovelands.	1.	2.	3.
Stretch	180	184	141	Cluever	196	170	145
Peth	189	234	218	Schuis	138	189	169
Cloeman	191	253	189	Fletcher	153	153	175
Alfeld	189	201	226	Miller	174	171	
Toemmel	193	223	250	O. Trapp	187	157	182
Totals	912	1075	1010	Totals	888	848	806
La Salles	930	912	918	Doolittles	771	848	798

SHERIDAN.

Colonnas.	1.	2.	3.	Kenmores.	1.	2.	3.
Nelson	213	168	215	Easley	171	158	200
Wesche	200	234	178	Moritz	190	182	176
Nason	208	188	18	Spangler	177	147	192
Horndorf	175	151	190	Wieland	179	196	196
Koopman	180	202	191	Mrosek	167	170	153
Totals	976	943	933	Totals	874	823	877

Illinois	923	812	993	Edgewaters	916	924	872
Chicagos	897	794	878	Weldners	862	921	807

MONROE.

Ansons.	1.	2.	3.	Lipmans.	1.	2.	3.
Koenig	204	222	214	Fleiner	216	172	171
Hajek	179	200	180	Lipman	202	167	178
Northam	180	144	171	Peterson	186	178	176
Graf	203	170	217	Semones	152	182	176
Vollmar	220	204	219	Collier	167	233	203
Totals	936	940	980	Totals	926	878	901

Brunswick.	1.	2.	3.	Hemmer.	1.	2.	3.
Thompson	192	183	168	Woodbury	184	198	195
Canfield	177	177	163	Loeb	174	174	210
Burns	192	170	150	Fargo	169	169	169
Gruver	183	190	177	Godsall	149	177	147
Geroux	186	208	198	Bartsch	224	187	196
Totals	907	945	853	Totals	912	940	917

OXFORD.

Comets	846	878	889	Crescents	816	792	799

LUTZ.

Orioles	542	536	558	Six Footers.	437	497	479
Orioles	550	511	491	Six Footers.	397	488	446

PACKERS.

Swifts II	988	828	859	Hammonds	845	754	796
Omahas	789	848	788	Morris & Co.	820	864	855

PAINT, OIL, AND VARNISH.

Eureka	694	706	739	Rubber	767	821	852
Wadsworth	692	725	695	Standard O.	799	876	882

SOUTHWEST.

Southwest	853	959	806	Garlands	1034	856	994

TOURNAMENT.

Centurys	924	915	848	Turbys	805	808	847
Coca Colas	902	845	868	M. Sinews	961	896	856
Telephones	746	892	851	Cobras	867	761	821

WEST CHICAGO.

Chi. Labels	941	896	991	W. Chicagos	926	941	951
Chi. Labels	901	866	903	West Chi.	892	937	970

LAKE VIEW.

Cuylers	863	936	872	Quick Steps	843	900	896

OLD AMERICAN.

Saginaws	818	861	793	Saratogas	987	852	847

LAWNDALE.

Arizonas	804	871	811	Solons	900	901	970

BUSINESS.

Drug T.	874	841	891	Ocean Accl.	795	825	910
Carson-P	860	787	850	Extra G.	840	860	851

BOHEMIAN.

Hvorkas	873	830	836	Souhradas	826	914	913

NORTH CHICAGO.

Delawares	783	861	803	Brunswicks	798	850	863
Websters	837	978	928	Eugenes	815	770	827

CO-OPERATIVE.

Col. Knl.	1006	871	945	Co-Opera.	926	867	966
Winthrops	831	911	833	Bankers.	889	892	967
Olivettes	944	961	941	Difficulties	881	887	873

BELMONT.

Imperials	855	929	889	Schillers	791	761	910

WICKER PARK.

Eskimos	769	858	857	W. P. Sports	784	880	783

GREEN LIGHT.

Gold Bricks	889	829	845	Sycamores	751	779	696

BOHEMIAN.

Jiruskas	825	818	932	Papovichs	866	840	827

ARGYLE.

Pastimes	816	833	823	Fosters	681	733	690

VERMONT.

L'Avent'ra	743	812	930	Vermonts	648	747	717

UNION.

Juniors	786	919	725	Adelites	851	904	847

Enter for Endurance Bowling Match.

Eleven teams have entered for the twenty-four hour bowling contest which will start at Bensinger's alleys on Saturday night. The other team will be chosen at a meeting to be held this afternoon.

Davis Square, 40; Armour, 20.

The Davis Square basketball five won its initial game last night, defeating the Armour Square maroons 40 to 20 in the Davis Square gymnasium. Lineup:

Davis Square [40].		Maroons [20].
Werner	Right forward	Dillon
A. Thomman	Left forward	Harrt
Horn, Menge	Center	Peterson
J. Thomman	Right guard	McMaster, Malloy
Warren	Left guard	Trobridge

Baskets—Werner [15], A. Thomman [3], Dillon [2], Harrt [3], Peterson. Free throws—Werner, A. Thomman, Dillon [3], Harrt [3], Peterson [2]. Referee—Reynolds.

The Senor Athletic club five defeated the St. Peter and St. Paul church team 78 to 14.

High School Games Today.

The following games are scheduled in the High School Basketball league this afternoon: West section—Oak Park at Lake, La Grange at Austin. South section—Hyde Park at Englewood, Calumet at University High. North section—Evanston at McKinley, Wendell Phillips at North Division.

THE MIST WINS GOOD RACE

BEATS GORGALETTE IN A CLOSE FINISH AT OAKLAND.

Remainder of Card Is Featureless, Rain Having Effect on the Sport—Ring Has a Bad Day, Many of the Successful Horses Being Well Supported—Grace G. Is First in Baby Event—Dr. Leggo Shipped to Los Angeles.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—It began to rain early this afternoon, which had a tendency to further spoil a card that was featureless. Many winners were well backed and the ring had a bad day. The best finish of the day came in the sixth race, when Gorgalette came dangerously close to catching The Mist in the last jump. The Mist was the favorite and was well backed.

Grace G., who scored in the baby race, is a chestnut filly by Albert and owned by Jones & Lusk.

Dr. Leggo has been shipped to Los Angeles for the Pasadena handicap. Jockey Williams, the new colored boy who has been riding with conspicuous success, went on a tear Wednesday night and showed up today. He wanted to lick Knapp and other jockeys, but he drew a suspension from the judges instead. Summaries:

First race, 7-16 mile—Grace G., 107 pounds (Bock), 11 to 5, won; Pimkin, 107 (Hoffman), 4 to 1, second; Fearless Lass, 107 (Robinson), 3 to 1, third. Time, :42¾. Jill, Elota, and Yankee Jim ran.

Second race, ⅞ mile—Ocyrohe, 104 pounds (Clark), 3 to 1, won; Mocorito, 102 (Fountain), 7 to 1, second; Bountiful, 107 (Loague), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:28 1-5. Silver Heels, Waterspout, Tavora, Warte Nicht, and Walnut Hill ran.

Third race, 1 1-16 miles—Angelica, 102 pounds (Fountain), 10 to 5, won; Ray, 107 (Knapp), 9 to 5, second; Bird of Passage, 104 (J. J. Walsh), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:49¾. Frank Woods, Major Tenny, Harold W., Mr. Farnum, Macene, Phaon, Meistersinger, and Last Knight ran.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—Ed Sheridan, 95 pounds (Robinson), 7 to 5, won; Hi Caul Cap, 105 (Loague), 5 to 1, second; Byromdale, 109 (Oliphant), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:48⅘. Bill Curtis, Merry Go Round, and Ethel Abbott ran.

Fifth race, ⅝ mile—Tom McGrath, 110 pounds (Rice), 11 to 20, won; Sir Brillar, 106 (Radtke), 3 to 1, second; Instructor, 103 (Fountain), 23 to 5, third. Time, 1:13⅘. Auto Hood and Black Joe ran.

Sixth race, Futurity course—The Mist, 101 pounds (Goodchild), 6 to 5, won; Gergaletta, 105 (Radtke), 12 to 1, second; Prominence, 87 (Harty), 9 to 5, third. Time, 1:11⅘. Gravecutter, Serenity, Princess Wheeler, Succeed, and Alone ran.

ENTRIES.

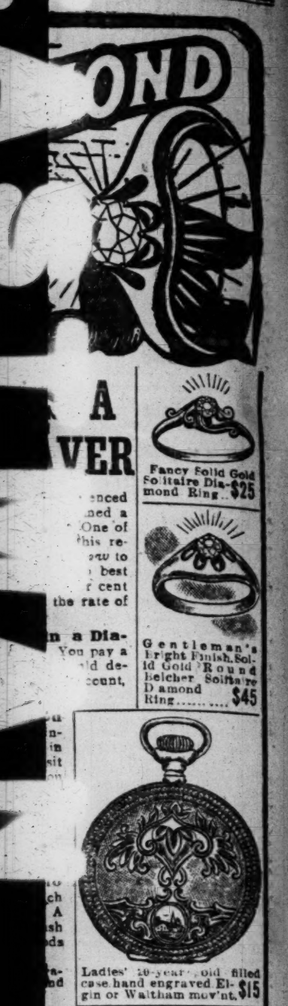
First race, 11-16 mile, selling—Belle Reed, 112 pounds; Yo san, Masedo, 110; E. M. Brattain, Clarada, Raven Run, 107; Alice Rus, 105.

Second race, ⅝ mile, selling—Henry Luthermann Jr., 110 pounds; Royal Rogue, 107; Laura F. M., 105; Procrastinate, 104; Ethel Abbott, Nonie, 102; Blumenthal, Tim Hurst, Mrs. Rob D., 101; Mafalda, 100; Stillicate, Mocorito, 99.

Third race, 1¼ miles, selling—Nabonassar, 110 pounds; Ladus, Edgcliff, Invictus, Major Tenny, San Lutien, Loone, Tarrigan, Loves Labor, Bonar, 107; Iras, 105; Lellia Hill, 100.

Fourth race, 1 mile, selling—Olympian, 108 pounds; Chestnut, Forerunner, Royal White, Sherry, H. T. Gordon, Pickaway, 106; San Remo, 103; Sloe Eye, 102; Maid of Fermoy, 100; Crigil, Bonnie Reg, 97.

Fifth race, ¼ mile, selling—Trapset



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WHEAT CROP LOSS LARGE.

ESTIMATES OF ARGENTINE SURPLUS MUCH REDUCED.

Continued Rains at Harvest Cause Damage and Local Market Responds to Bullish Reports with Half Cent Advance — Marked Revival in Export Demand for Corn, with Total Sales for Day Close to Million Bushels—Board of Trade News.

Argentina was still the storm center, both literally and figuratively, of bull news in wheat. Reports of continued rains in that country, claims of disappointing thrashing returns, and reduced estimates of the exportable surplus were the main factors in forcing a net advance of ½c in the price for the day. The market, after showing firmness early by selling up to 88¼c, reacted to 87½c on profit taking sales and some bear pressure.

The decline was in spite of several bullish Argentine cables, but there was a good commission demand at the low point and a late message fixing the exportable surplus at only 98,000,000 bu, compared with an estimate a month ago of 120,000,000 bu, or more. This gave local bulls fresh courage and forced a sharp advance to 88¼c. There was a great deal for sale at that figure, and the close was a shade lower at 88⅛c bid. July gained only ⅝c. There was a nominal advance of ⅓c in January, but trade in the current delivery was extremely light.

Foreign markets did not seem much disturbed by the Argentine news. Liverpool had reports of heavy rains in that country, and offerings from there were scarce, and most 1d higher per qr, but Liverpool futures closed unchanged to ¼d lower. There was an advance of ⅜c in Antwerp, but on hard Kansas and not on Argentine wheat. On passage cargoes were reported firm with a fair continental demand.

Good Receipts Northwest.

Northwestern receipts continued liberal, 613 cars compared with 396 a year ago. Minneapolis stocks increased 1,100,000 bu for five days. There was some improvement in the milling demand for wheat in that market, however, and also in the demand for flour, though entirely for domestic consumption. The local cash wheat market was dull, but sales of 35,000 bu were reported, and millers detected considerable improvement in the inquiry for flour and made moderate sales.

Primary receipts were 746,000 bu, compared with 525,000 bu last year, and shipments 196,000 bu compared with 228,000 bu a year ago. Arrivals continue more liberal than in 1905 and milling requirements less. Clearances of wheat and flour were 357,000 bu, mostly wheat. A good demand for Manitoba wheat at the seaboard with bids ½c higher was claimed. Sales of 240,000 bu were reported.

There was considerable covering by shorts as the Argentine news and a good deal of profit taking on the swells by holders. Bidding for round lots by Pringle and Rankin had a good deal to do with forcing the late advance.

Export Corn Sales Big.

May corn developed amazing strength and activity, covering a range of ¼@⅝c from 45c up, and closing practically at an advance of the entire range for the day at 45¼c bid. A marked improvement in the export demand was the main feature of the news and moving cause of the strength. There were sales of 400,000 bu here for shipment, including about 250,000 bu for direct export, and more sale would probably have been made if the market had not advanced beyond the limit of early bids before the business could be closed. Unless seaboard advices were extravagant total sales in all positions for the day amounted to 800,000 bu or more. Bids from abroad to local exporters were ½c higher than the day before, possibly the result of alarm over reports of the appearance of locusts as a menace to the Argentine crop. Export clearances were smaller than for some days at 418,000 bu, while primary receipts were 988,000 bu compared with 484,000 bu a year ago. The Liverpool market was unchanged to ¼d higher for futures, ¼d lower for spot American corn, and ¼d higher for spot Argentine. On passage cargoes were reported 1¼d to 3d higher. Buying by Bartlett-Frazier, Harris-Scotten, and other houses identified with the export trade was the feature of the speculative market. There was selling on the advance by Pringle, Comstock, Updike, and commission houses.

Oats Trade Keeps Dull.

Oats were not to be disturbed from the serenity of their quiet life by the fluctuations of wheat nor the strength of corn. The May range and the May limits were the same as the day before, ½c, from 32¼c to 32¾c. The close, however, was the merest shade firmer at 32⅝c sellers, compared with 32¼c bid the day before. The pit trade was featureless, but there was a fair shipping demand, with sales of 300,000 bu, including 100,000 bu for direct export. Seaboard advices put total export sales at 180,000 bu, and clearances were 91,000 bu, all from Newport News. The cash market was firm, and in the case of No. 2 whites was ¼c higher. Country acceptances continue light and so do local receipts, there being 122 cars inspected in and 126 estimated.

Provision Market Strong.

Sentiment in provisions is becoming so bullish and speculative interest so much broader that the market seems to have acquired the habit of going up if hogs are more numerous than expected and lower in price at. Such at least was the case yesterday, whether or not it is safe to expect frequent repetitions of the experience. An estimate of provision stocks, showing slight decreases in all contract commodities from the small totals of Dec. 31, furnished an incentive for renewed buying by local and outside bulls. There were signs of free selling for packing interests and for stockyards traders who expect hog receipts to become more liberal, but the market absorbed all offerings and closed higher. The principal advance was on pork, which was bought on the theory that it is relatively too low compared with ribs. There were gains of 15c to 20c in the deferred deliveries of pork, while the same deliveries of lard advanced 2½c to 5c and of ribs 5c to 7½c. There were 46,000 hogs at the yards, or 10,000 over the estimate, the market slow but held easily by speculative buying. For today 40,000 are estimated. Total western receipts were 160,800, compared with 96,300 a year ago. Cash demand was called fair for meat and poor for lard. Rankin, Patten, and Comstock were all good buyers. Hately and Boyd-Lunham were good sellers.

Rye Advances a Cent.

Rye was firm and 1c higher. Demand was fair but offerings were limited. Export sales were 1c over those of Wednesday, and 5 loads were reported sold at the seaboard. A sale of 5,000 bu May was made here at 78c. No. 2 sold at 68c, No. 3 at 65c. Receipts, 7 cars.

Barley was firm with good demand for all grades. Offerings were small and business dull for that reason. Feed barley was up 2c and sales of 200,000 bu were made for shipment, part for direct export. Sales at the seaboard were 250,000 bu. Screenings sold from 30@40c; feed, 37¼@38c; and fancy, 39@55c. Receipts, 15 cars.

Flaxseed was 1c lower on weakness in the western markets. A sale of 10,000 bu May at $1.28 was made. No. 1 spot, $1.12 asked, and No. 1 northwestern, $1.18 nominal. Minneapolis received 41 cars and Duluth 3.

Timothy seed was unchanged, January sold at $3.35 and March $3.50; country lots, $3@3.35. Clover steady, cash lots, $10.00 asked.

Range of Active Futures.

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close—Jan.10.	Jan.11.
May	84½	84⅞	83⅜	84⅜	83⅞
July	87½@⅝	88	87⅛	88⅛@⅜	87⅝@¾
Sept	85	85	84½	84½	84⅝@¾

CORN.

May	45⅛@¼	45⅝@¾	45	45⅜	45
July	45⅝@¾	45⅝@¾	45⅜	45⅝@¾	45⅝

OATS.

May	31⅝	31⅝	31⅜	31⅜	31
July	30¾@⅞	30⅞	30⅝	30⅝	30¼@⅜
Sept	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾@⅜	30⅜

MESS PORK.

May	13.72½	13.82½	13.72½	13.80	13.75
July	14.02½	14.02½	14.02½	14.20	14.05

LARD.

May	7.47½	7.52½	7.47½	7.52½	7.55
July	7.72½	7.77½	7.67½	7.72½	7.70

SHORT RIBS.

May	7.57½	7.62½	7.57½	7.62½	7.65
July	7.77½	7.80	7.75	7.80	7.77½

Price Range Elsewhere.

New York—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close—Jan.11.	Jan.10.
May wheat	92¼	92⅜	92	92⅜	92
July wheat	89½	90	89⅜@½	89⅝	89⅜
May corn	50⅛	51⅛	50⅛	51	50⅝
July corn	51	51⅛	51	51⅛	51
St. Louis—					
May wheat	86¾@½	86⅞	86¾	86⅝	86⅜
July wheat	82⅛	82⅝@¾	81⅞@82	82⅝@¾	81⅞
May corn	43⅞	43⅞	43⅝@¾	43⅝	43@43⅛
July corn	43⅝	43⅝@¾	43⅝	43⅝@¾	43½@¾
Kansas City—					
May wheat	79⅞	80½	79⅝@¾	80¼	79⅞@80
July wheat	77	77⅝	76⅝	77⅜@¾	76⅝@77
May corn	40¼	40¾	40¼	40¾	40¼
July corn	40¼@⅜	40⅜	40¼	40⅜	40⅜
Minneapolis—					
Cash wheat	83⅝	83⅝	83⅛	83⅝	82⅞
May wheat	85⅞	86⅛@¼	85⅞	86⅞	85⅝
July wheat	86½@¾	87¼	86½	87¼@¾	86⅜
Duluth—					
Cash wheat	83	83⅝	83	83⅝	83⅛
May wheat	85⅝	86⅛	85⅝	86⅛	85¼
July wheat				87⅛	86⅞

GRAIN INSPECTION.

	No. 2 or better.	Standard.	No. 3	Low grade.	Total
Winter wheat	2	...	2	...	2
Colo. wheat	3	...	...	...	3
Spring wheat	2	...	8	12	22
Corn	31	41	171	40	242
Oats	9	21	52	40	122
Rye	4	2	1	1	7
Barley	1	...	1	13	15
Totals	52	21	236	106	415

Inspected out: From store: Wheat—No. 2 hard, 18,987 bu; No. 1 northern, 3,116 bu. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 8,863 bu; No. 2, 2,000 bu; No. 3, 5,035 bu. Oats—Standard, 800 bu. From unlicensed elevators: Wheat—No. 2 hard, 5 cars; No. 2 red, 6 cars; No. 1 northern, 3 cars. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 63 cars; No. 2 white, 4 cars; No. 3, 22 cars; No. 2, 2 cars; No. 3, 85 cars; No. 4, 3 cars. Oats—Standard, 23 cars; No. 3 white, 27 cars; No. 2, 4 cars; clipped white, 16 cars; feed barley, 13 cars.

Cash Produce Transactions.

FLOUR—Prices firm; hard patents [favorite brands], $5.00; hard patents [in wood], $4.00@4.20; straight [export bags], $3.85@4.00; clear [export bags], $2.90@3.10; lower grades, $2.05@2.15; hard winter patents [export bags], $4.10@4.20; clear [export bags], $3.85@4.00; clear [jute], $3.20@3.40; rye flour, brls, $3.60@3.75; sacks, $3.20@3.30.

WINTER WHEAT—Quiet. Sales in store and to go to store: No. 2 red, 30,000 bu at May price in store. Free on board, switched, and delivered: No. 3 red, 87@88c.

SPRING WHEAT—Steady. Sales in store and to go to store: No. 1 northern, 3,000 bu on p. t. Free on board, switched, and delivered: No 4, 77@80c; No. 3, 82@83c; No. 2 northern, 84½c.

CORN—Firm; ⅛@⅜c higher. Sales in store and to go: No. 3, 42½c; 40,000 bu on p. t. for shipment; No. 3 yellow, 42¾c; No. 4, 41¼@41¾c. Sales on track and free on board: No grade sold at 32@38c; No. 4, 41¾@42c; No. 3, 42¼@42¾c; No. 3 yellow, 42¾@43c; No. 2 yellow, 43¾@43½c; No. 3 white, 43c. Billed through: No grade, 36@40c; No. 4, 41@41¼c; No. 3, 41¾@42¼c; No. 3 yellow, 41¾@42½c; No. 2, 42c; No. 2 yellow, 42¼@42½c; No. 3 white, 41¾@42¾c; No. 2 white, 42c.

OATS—¾c higher. Sales in store and to go to store: Standard, 31½c; white clipped, 250,000 bu on p. t. Sales on track and free on board: No. 4 white, 30¼@31½c; No. 3, 30½@30¾c; No. 3 white, 30¼@32¼c; standard, 31¾@33c; No. 2, 31@31½c; No. 2 white, 33c. Billed through: No. 4 white, 31@31½c; No. 3, 31¾c; standard, 31¾@33c; No. 2, 31@31¾c.

RYE—1c higher. Sales on track: No. 2, 68c. Free on board: No. 2, 68c; No. 4, 65c.

BARLEY—Firm. Sales free on board or switched, by sample: Barley, 38@60c.

HOG PRODUCTS—Firm. Mess pork, cash lots, quotable $13.80@13.85 for new and $13.00 for old; lard, $7.52½ for round lots; short ribs, cash lots, $7.40@7.55, according to weight.

BEEF PRODUCTS—Quiet and steady. Prices quotable as follows: Beef hams, $17.50@18.50; extra mess beef, $7.50@8.50; plate beef, $9.00@10.00; tra mess beef, $7.50@8.50; plate beef, $9.00@10.00; extra plate beef, $10.00@11.00. Tallow steady at 5¼@5c for edible; 5⅝@5¾c for prime packers; 4¾@5c for No. 1 do, and 3¾@3¾c for No. 2 do; 4¼@5c for city renderers; 4¾@5c, prime country; 3¾@3¾c for No. 2 do. Oleo-stearine in moderate demand and quotably steady at 7¼@7½c.

GREASE—Quiet and steady at 3¾@3¾c for brown, 4@4¼c for yellow, 4@4¼c for house, 4¼@4¾c for B white, 5@5¼c for A white, and 5¼@5¾c for choice white.

COOPERAGE—Steady. Ash pork brls, $1.00@1.02½; oak pork brls, $1.12½@1.15; lard tcs, $1.30@1.32½.

WHISKY—Steady, on a basis of $1.30 for finished goods.

HAY—Steady. Choice timothy, $11.50@12.00; No. 1 timothy, $10.00@11.00; No. 2 timothy, $8.50@9.50; No. 3 timothy, $7.50@8.50; choice prairie, $11.00@11.50; No. 1 prairie, $8.00@9.00; No. 2 prairie, $7.00@7.50; No. 3 prairie, $6.00@7.00; No. 4 prairie, $6.00@6.50.

STRAW—Rye straw quotable $6.50@7.00; wheat, $5.00@5.50; and oat, $5.00@5.50.

DOMESTIC PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Barley—Steady; feeding, 41¼c c. i. f., Buffalo. Wheat—Receipts, 114,000 bu; exports, 115,000 bu. Spot firm. No. 2 red, 95¾c f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 95¾c f. o. b., afloat. Options closed higher. May, 91 15-16@92⅝c, closed 92⅜c; July, 89 7-16@89⅝c, closed 89¼c.

Corn—Receipts, 162,325 bu; exports, 133,783 bu. Spot firm; No. 2, 57½c old, elevator, and 51c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 51¼c; No. 2 white, 51½c. Options closed ⅜c net higher. January closed at 53⅜c; May, 51¼c, closed 51½c; July closed 51¼c.

Oats—Receipts, 115,500 bu. Spot steady; mixed oats, 26@32 lbs, 36½@37c; natural white, 30@32 lbs, 37½@38c; clipped white, 36@40 lbs, 40@41½c. Cottonseed oil—Firm; prime crude nominal; do yellow, 34@35c.

Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3 3-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 11-16c; molasses sugar, 2 15-16c. Refined firm; crushed, 5.40c; powdered, 4.80c; granulated, 4.70c.

Quotations on Coffee.

Coffee—Spot rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 8¼d; mild, steady; cordova, 9¾@12¾c. Futures opened steady at an advance of 5@10 points and closed steady 3@10 points higher on sales of 39,000 bags.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close—Jan.11.	Jan.10.
January	6.65	6.70	6.65	6.70	6.65
March	6.85	6.90	6.85	6.85	6.75
May	7.00	7.05	7.00	7.05	6.95
July	7.10	7.15	7.10	7.10	7.05
September	7.20	7.25	7.20	7.20	7.15

Quotations on Cotton.

Cotton—Spot closed quiet, 5 points higher; middling uplands, 11.80c; middling gulf, 12.05c; sales, 100 bales. Futures opened steady and closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close—Jan.11.	Jan.10.
January	11.35	11.35	11.22	11.22	11.25
March	11.52	11.53	11.42	11.43	11.46
May	11.66	11.68	11.50	11.51	11.56
July	11.69	11.74	11.56	11.59	11.62

Cotton in Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 11.—Cotton—Spot, good business done; prices 4 points higher; American middling, fair, 6.66d; good middling, 6.32d; middling, 6.14d; low middling, 5.98d; good ordinary, 5.80d; ordinary, 5.64d. Sales were 12,000 bales; receipts, 3,000 bales, including 2,500 American. Futures opened steady and closed barely steady.

Western Grain Markets.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 11.—May wheat closed, 85⅞c; July, 87⅛@87¼c, cash No. 1 northern selling 2¼c under and No. 2 northern 4¼c to 4¾c under May. Flour—Steady; first patents, $4.40@4.50; second patents, 4.30@4.40; first clears, $3.50@3.60; second clears, $2.45@2.55. Cash flax—Strong; close, $1.18. Bran—In bulk, $14.00@14.25.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 11.—Close—Wheat—Higher; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 90@93c; track, 94@95¼c; May, 86¾c; July, 82⅝@82¾c; No. 2 hard, 85¼@88c. Corn—Higher; No. 2 cash, 42c; track, 45¼c; May, 43¼@43⅝c; July, 43⅝@43⅞c. Oats—Firm; No. 2 cash, 32c; track, 32½c; May, 32c; No. 2 white, 33½c.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 11.—Close—Wheat—May, 80¼c; July, 77¼c; September, 75⅞c; cash, No. 2 hard, 80@83c; No. 3, 76@81c; No. 2 red, 90¼@91¼c; No. 3, 85@90c. Corn—May, 40⅝c; July, 40¾c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 40¼c; No. 2 white, 40c; No. 3, 39½@39¾c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 31½@32½c. Receipts—Wheat, 57 cars.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 11.—Wheat—Steady; No. 1 northern, 85@86c; No. 2 northern, 83@84½c; May, 88¾c bid. Rye—Steady; No. 1, 68@68½c. Barley—Steady; No. 2, 54½@55c; sample, 37½@54c. Oats—Steady; standard, 32c. Corn—Strong; May, 45¼c bid.

PEORIA, Ill., Jan. 11.—Corn—Higher; No. 3 yellow, 42c; No. 3, 42c; No. 4, 40½c; no grade, 37¼c. Oats—Firm; No. 2 white, 32c; No. 3 white, 31½c; No. 4 white, 30½@30¾c. Rye—Ungraded No. 2, 67½@68c.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 11.—Clover seed—Cash and January, $8.10; February, $8.15; March, $8.20; April, $8.07; prime timothy, $1.62; prime alsike, $8.00.

Foreign Produce Market.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 11.—Wheat—Spot, steady; No. 2 red, western, winter, 6s 7d; futures dull; March, 6s 11¾d; May, 6s 8¾d. Corn—Spot, American mixed, old, easy, 4s 8d; futures quiet; January, 4s 8d; March, 4s 2¾d; May, 4s 3½d.

IN THE NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—The movement of merchandise in the dry goods today at second hand showed an increase over yesterday. In the primary market there was more or less complaint regarding the inactivity of buyers, but otherwise the market was strong.

Metals—There was an advance of about £1 5s in London tin, with spot closing at £186 15s and futures at £187 2s 6d. Locally spot closed at $36.50@37.00. Copper was lower in London, with spot closing at £79 5s and futures £78 5s. Lake and electrolytic are quoted at $18.75@19.00 and casting at $18.37½@18.87½ here. Lead was 5s lower at £16 18s in London and ranged from $5.60 to $5.00 here. Spelter was unchanged. Iron was lower abroad, with standard foundry quoted at 53s 4d and Cleveland warrants at 54s 7½d. No. 1 foundry, northern, quoted at $18.75@19.25; No. 2 foundry, northern, at $18.25@18.85; No. 1 foundry, southern, at $18.00@18.75; No. 2 foundry, southern, at $18.00@18.25.

Butter—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 6,071 pkgs. Philadelphia—Firm; extra western creamery, 28c; extra nearby prints, 31c.

Eggs—Easy; receipts, 4,480 cases; state, Pennsylvania, and nearby fancy, selected, white, 32@33c; do choice, 30@31c; do mixed, fancy, 28c; western, finest selected, 28c; do average best, 25c; southern, 20@22c.

Poultry Alive—Firm; western chickens, 12c; fowls, 14½c; turkeys, 15c. Dressed—Firm; western chickens, 9@15c; turkeys, 13@20c; fowls, 9@14c.

ON THE LOCAL EXCHANGE.

BOXBOARD COMMON LEADS LIST IN ACTIVITY.

Trading Fairly Broad, but with No News of the Issues—Swift & Co. Firm, Closing at 105—Quaker Oats Irregular—Several Bids Reported for Chicago National Bank Building and Lease—Blair Estate May Be the Buyer.

Trading on the local exchange was fairly broad yesterday, the principal activity being in Boxboard common. However, there was no news concerning the issues. Swift & Co. was firm, closing at 105. Quaker Oats common was irregular. The stock opened at 140. Apparently there is enough stock held outside company interests to work off the price, which, however, soon rallies. The close was at 149.

In the street railroad list Metropolitan preferred was active and firm. The buying was apparently good. South Side elevated shows a tendency to work lower. Since the closing of the White City the traffic necessarily does not show so well. Chicago Telephone stock is in some demand, and was quoted at 138-½.

There was a fair business in the bond department at steady prices.

Chicago National Building.

While no sale of the Chicago National Bank building and lease has been made, it is understood there have been several bids. It is believed the Blair estate will prove to be among the best bidders. The bank building adjoins the Borland block, which the estate is building. The real estate on which the bank stands could be advantageously used in enlarging the Borland, which is but a moderate sized structure.

Walsh Railroad Securities.

There hardly can be said to be a market for Chicago Southern or Southern Indiana bonds. The people who placed the two issues are not seeking to make a market, but it is believed a price of 90 could be had for Chicago Southern notes and probably 95 for Southern Indiana bonds.

Dividends Declared.

The Quincy Mining company has declared a dividend for the last six months of $5 a share, an increase of $2 a share over the previous disbursement, which was made on Aug. 24 last. The dividend is payable Feb. 26. Books close Feb. 1 and reopen Feb. 8.

Directors of the Automatic Electric company have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent, payable Feb. 1. Books close Jan. 23, reopen Feb. 2.

The Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light company declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent on preferred stock, payable Jan. 31. Books close Jan. 20, reopen Feb. 1.

Railway Earnings.

CHICAGO, INDIANAPOLIS AND LOUISVILLE.

	Earnings.	Increase.
November—Gross	$ 495,240	$ 25,007
Operating expenses and taxes	324,767	32,822
Net	170,473	*6,915
From July 1—		
Gross	2,857,818	189,407
Operating expenses and taxes	1,635,036	150,221
Net	1,022,782	31,186

*Decrease.

Closing Bid and Asked Prices.

	Bid.	Asked.
Bay State Gas	⅛	¼
Compressed Air	⅛	¼
Electric Boat	25	30
Do pfd	70	75
Electro Pneumatic	⅛	¼
Electric Vehicle	15	19
Do pfd	19	23
N. Y. El. Veh. Transportation	6½	7½
Otis Elevator	59	60
Do pfd	106	100
Royal Baking Powder pfd	110	112
Standard Coupler	37	42
Do pfd	120	130
Safety	305	320

New York Curb Transactions.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Can	900	10½	10⅝	10	10
Do pfd	1,700	71	71	69¼	70
Amn. W. Paper	100	5	5	5	5
Do pfd	2,200	34⅝	35	34⅜	35
Beth. Steel	700	32	32	31½	32
Do pfd	200	91	91	91	91
Boston Con	4,200	31⅛	31⅞	30⅜	31⅛
B. C. Copper	8,000	9¼	9¼	9	9⅛
Con. Trac., W. L.	90	59¼	59¼	59¼	59¼
Corn Prod., W. I.	300	28	28	28	28
Do pfd	300	87	87½	87	87¼
Chicago Subway	1,200	51¼	51¾	50¾	51
Dominion Copper	4,000	7-16	7-16	7-16	7-16
Granby	375	10	10	10	10
Greene Gold	200	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜
Greene G. & T.	800	7¼	7¼	7¼	7¼
Greene Copper	2,100	29⅜	29⅝	29⅛	29⅜
Guan	800	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Havana Tobacco	150	31	31	30	30
Do pfd	100	42	42	42	42
Int. Mer	1,400	13¼	13⅝	13	13¼
Do pfd	2,600	39⅝	39⅝	38½	38½
Interboro	1,300	235⅛	235⅞	234½	235
Mackay Co	1,000	59	59	58½	58½
Do pfd	1,000	73	73⅜	73	73⅛
Manhattan Trans.	1,200	3	3	3	3
Mines Sec	2,200	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝
Nevada Con	2,700	11⅝	11⅞	11½	11⅝
Standard Oil	6	637½	637½	636	636
Tenn. Copper	1,200	51⅛	51⅝	50	50½
Tonopah Ext	2,200	8	8⅛	8	8⅛
Tonopah of Nev	200	17	17¼	17	17⅛
United Copper	15,000	64	64	63½	63⅝
Do pfd	1,250	88	89	88	89
Utah Apex	400	8¾	8¾	8½	8¾
Utah Copper	200	38	38	37¾	37¾
BONDS.					
$61000 Con Tr 4½s	w.	1.95¼	95¼	95	95 and int.

Sales on the Exchange.

The following were the sales on the Chicago stock exchange:

	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Can	355	10¼	10⅜	9½	10⅛
Do pfd	785	70¼	70½	69½	69⅝
American Ship	824	55	56	55	55⅜
Do pfd	100	101	101	101	101
Chicago Edison	24	161	161	161	161
Chicago Pneu. Tool	175	58	58	57½	58
Chicago Telephone	42	138½	138½	138½	138¼
Chi. & Oak. Pk. El.	50	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
Diamond Match	91	145	145½	145	145½
Kas. Cy. Ry. & Lt.	250	58¼	58¾	58	58¼
Do pfd	50	90	90	90	90
Met. El. pfd	1,243	70½	71⅞	70½	71⅞
National Biscuit	100	67⅞	67⅞	67⅞	67⅞
Northwestern El.	50	27¼	27¼	27¼	27¼
Quaker Oats	174	140	149	140	149
Do pfd	300	103	105	103	105
So. Side Elevated	200	95½	95½	95½	95½
Street's Stable Car	65	30	30	30	30
Do pfd	50	99	99½	99	99½
Swift & Co	867	105	105¾	105	105
United Box Bd	1,985	2⅜	2⅝	2⅜	2⅝
Do pfd	840	15½	15⅞	15	15¼
BONDS.					
$ 1000 Chi. Pneu. Tool 5s		80½	13000 Met. El. Gold 4s		94
6000 Do 5s		80½	3000 Northw. El. 4s		86¾
5000 Ogden Gas 5s		90			

Foreign Exchange.

Offerings of bills were on a larger scale than for several days, with quotations in consequence lower. Actual closing rates for bankers' 60 day sterling bills were 4.8295@4.8305; demand, 4.8630@4.8640; cable transfers, 4.8710@4.8720; commercial long, documents payment, 4.82¾@4.83¼; 90 days on bankers, 4.81@4.81⅛; short marks, 95 3-16 less 1-32@95 3-16; sight francs, 5.16¼ less 1-32@5.16⅛; guilders, 40 3-16@40¼.

Following were the posted rates of the principal drawers of foreign exchange:

London	4.87½
Berlin, reichsmarks	95⅝
Paris, francs	5.15⅝
Vienna, crowns	20.35
Scandinavian kroners	26.90
Italian lires	5.15

Clearings in Chicago yesterday were $40,500,434, and a week ago $42,973,000.

New York exchange sold yesterday in Chicago at 10c premium before clearings and 5c premium after clearings.

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W. G. WALLING ..... Secretary
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FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Real Valuation	$13,500,000
Assessed Valuation	5,225,000
Total Debt	176,000

Population, 15,000

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MORE SELLING OF STOCKS.

PROFIT TAKING CONTINUES FEATURE OF TRADING.

Improvement in Financial Situation at New York Shown in Day's Operations—Most Activity in Speculation—Easing of Foreign Exchange Rate — Business Quite Active at Close—Quotations of Various Leading Issues Are Given.

[BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—[Special.]—Profit taking was evident again in today's trading in stocks, although in a less marked degree than yesterday. The money situation showed improvement. Sterling exchange here was easier, and there was some renewed selling of bankers' bills for the use of foreign funds. Subtreasury operations have contributed to the money market this week $3,018,000, and there was another heavy debit balance at the clearing house by the subtreasury this afternoon, due to payments by the government on account of transportation of the mail.

The easing of the foreign exchange rate was the more notable in the face of this replenishment of the local money market, as the easing of the money rate here was expected to facilitate an outgo of gold.

The stocks which made up the features of the market were a mixed list of high grade, seasoned dividend payers amongst railroads and of low priced stocks paying small dividends or none at all, both amongst railroads and industrials, some of the industrial stocks running into a decidedly low grade.

The renewed advance in Union Pacific to a record level was the most effective sustaining influence in the market. Increased dividend expectations were the factor. The Hill group was made the subject of revived rumors of a "melon cutting" and of absorption of connecting lines to the gulf. These rumors apportioned the Missouri, Kansas and Texas system to the Burlington and the Kansas City Southern to the St. Paul. The market took on great animation late in the day and many new favorites amongst low grade stocks were rushed into prominence. The closing was generally strong.

Bonds were steady. Total sales, par value, $3,710,000. United States 2s coupon advanced ¼ per cent on call.

Money on call firm, 5@6 per cent; ruling rate, 5½; closing bid, 4; offered at 5. Time loans steady; 60 days and 90 days, 5½@6 per cent; 6 months, 5½@5¾. Prime mercantile paper, 5@5¾ per cent.

Sterling exchange easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.86@4.86@0 for demand and at 4.8329@4.8325 for 60 day bills. Posted rates 4.83½@4.84 and 4.86½@4.87. Commercial bills, 4.83. Bar silver, 60¾c. Mexican dollars, 50½c. Government bonds firm. Railroad bonds steady.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Jan 11.	Jan 10.
Allis-Chalmers	15,800	22¾	23⅛	22⅝	23½	22¾
Do pfd	1,600	62¾	63¼	62¾	63½	62¾
Am. Copper	184,700	110¾	111⅝	110¾	111⅝	110¾
Amer. Agr.	700	39	39	38	38	38½
Amer. B. Sugar	100	31	31	31	31	
Amer. Car Fdy.	10,100	44¾	45⅝	44¾	45⅝	44¾
Do pfd.	300	100¾	100¾	100	100	100¼
Amer. Cot. Oil	10,400	43⅝	44⅜	43⅝	44⅜	43¾
Amer. Express	400	244	244	244	244	240
Amer. Grass	1,300	104½	105	104½	105	104½
Amer. Hide	1,000	9	9	8¾	8¾	8¾
Do pfd	400	50¾	50¾	50	50	50
Amer. Ice	2,100	42	42½	42	42½	42⅜
Amer. Linseed	100	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	
Do pfd	400	42	42	42	42	42
Amer. Locomo.	4,800	75¾	77¼	75¾	77¼	75¾
Do pfd	400	117¾	117¾	117¾	117¾	
Amer. Malt	400	10	10	10	10	10
Do pfd	4,100	25¾	26¾	25¾	26¾	25¾
Amer. Steel Fdy.	1,200	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
Do pfd	400	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝
Amer. Smelting	10,400	168¾	169¾	168¾	169¾	168¾
Do pfd. B	8,400	126⅝	129	126⅝	128⅝	127
Do sec. pfd B	800	101¼	101¼	101¼	101¼	101¼
Amer. Sugar	21,600	152¾	155⅛	152¾	155⅛	152¾
Amer. Tob. pfd.	2,000	105¾	107¼	105	105	105¾
Amer. Woolen	9,800	44⅝	47¼	44⅝	46⅝	45¼
Anaconda	89,900	265	268	264	264	256
Asso. Mer. 1st	200	106⅜	106⅜	106⅜	106⅜	106⅜
Atchison	63,500	94⅝	95⅞	94⅝	95⅞	94⅛
Do pfd	1,800	103⅛	104¼	103⅛	104¼	103⅛
Atl. C. Line	200	154½	156	154½	156	154½
B. & O.	3,700	114¾	114¾	114¾	114¾	114¾
B. R. T.	10,000	80	80½	88¾	88¼	86¾
Brunswick	200	20	20	20	20	20
B. R. & P.	100	161	161	161	161	161
Can. Pacific	8,500	176¼	176	175	175	176
Can. Southern	5,700	47¾	48	47¾	48	47¾
Do pfd	600	100	100	100	100	100½
C. of N. J.	400	226	226	226	226	225
C. & O.	2,300	59¾	60¼	57	58¾	58¼
C. & Alton	1,000	30	30	30	29½	29½
Do pfd	2,200	75	80	75	80	75½
C. G. W.	2,300	21¾	21¾	21¼	21¼	21¼
Do pfd A	1,100	50	50	49	49	49
Do pfd B	300	35¼	35¾	35¼	35¾	35¼
C. M. & St. P.	18,100	182¾	184¾	182¾	184¾	182¾
C. P.	3,100	277½	280	277½	280	277½
Chi. Un. Trac.	1,700	11	11	10⅝	10⅝	10
C. C. C. & St. L.	100	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾	107
Col. Fuel	12,800	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
Colo. Southern	40,100	31¾	35¾	31¾	35¾	31¾
Do 1st pfd	8,400	70	71	70	71	70
Do 2d pfd	6,500	53¾	56¾	53¾	56	54
C. H. C. & I.	200	18⅝	18⅝	17⅞	17⅞	17¾
Con. Gas	1,400	176	176	175	176	176
Corn Products	2,600	18¾	18¾	18⅜	18⅜	18¾
Del. & Hudson	2,300	223	225	223	225¼	223
D. R. G.	25,100	40¾	43¾	39¾	40⅞	39
Do pfd	9,200	88½	90⅝	88¾	90⅝	88¾
*Del. Lack.	800	80	80	80	80	80
Dis. Sec.	4,000	52¾	52¾	52¾	52¾	52⅜
D., S. S. A.	5,600	21¾	22¾	21¾	22	21¾
Do pfd	1,600	43	43	43	43	43
Erie	10,900	48¾	48¾	48⅜	48½	48⅛
Do 1st pfd	2,100	80¾	80¾	80¼	80½	80¼
Do 2d pfd	1,300	73¼	73¼	72¾	73¼	73¼
Federal Mining	200	145	145	145	145	145
Do pfd	100	105¾	105¾	105¾	105¾	105¼
Gen. Chem.	300	80	80	80	80	80
Gen. Electric	2,100	173	173½	172	172	170
Gt. North. pfd.	25,100	298	308¾	297¾	308	297½
Hav. Elec. pfd.	100	90	90	90	90	90
Int. Central	1,400	17¾	18¼	17¾	17¾	17¾
Int. Paper	4,800	24¾	24¾	23¾	24¾	24¾
Do pfd	1,800	88¾	89	88¾	89	88¾
Int. Power	100	59¾	59¾	59¾	59¾	60¾
Int. Pump pfd	200	79	79¼	79	79¼	79
Ia. Central	2,000	31	33	31	33	31
Do pfd	2,200	61	63	61	61½	60¾
K.C. So. & M pfd	400	63¾	63¾	63¾	63¾	
Kas. City So.	400	63¾	63¾	63¾	63¾	
Do pfd	200	69	69	69	69	68¾
Knick. Ice	11,800	83	90	83	90	83¾
Do pfd	100	80	80	80	80	
L. E. & W.	900	42¾	44¾	42¾	44¾	42
Do pfd	1,900	85¾	87¾	85¾	87¾	85¾
Manhattan	350	159¾	159¾	159¾	159¾	160¾
Man. Beach	100	12	12	12	12	12
Metropolitan	4,100	125	128	124¾	124¾	124⅜
Do sec.	2,900	73¼	73¾	73¼	73¼	73
Mex. Central	5,700	25¾	25¾	25¼	25¼	25¼
M. P. & S. S. M.	2,000	113	113	113	113	113
Do pfd	1,500	183¾	183¾	183¾	183¾	183¾
M. & St. Louis	1,700	83	84½	83	84	82½
Do pfd	200	100¼	100¼	100¼	100¼	100¼
Minn. & St. L.	4,600	93¼	95¾	93¼	95¾	93¼
M., K. & T.	48,400	40¼	40¾	39¾	40¼	40¼
Do pfd	6,700	72	72	71	72	70¾
Nat. Enamel	100	72	72	72	72	72
Nat. Biscuit	2,100	67¾	68¾	67¾	67¾	67¾
Nat. Lead	1,100	85¼	86¾	85	85¾	85¾
Do pfd	1,600	103¼	103¾	103	103	103
Do rights	11,900					
N. R. R. M pfd	2,800	39¾	40	39¾	40	39¾
N. Y. Central	6,200	153¾	154½	153¾	154¾	153¾
N. Y. Air Brake	1,900	163¼	163¾	160	160	160
N. Y. Central	8,200	153¾	154½	153¾	154¾	153¾
Do rights	200	2	2	2	2	2
N. Y. Dock	100	37	37	37	37	36
Do pfd	100	79	79	79	79	
N. Y. N. H. & H.	700	200¼	201	200¼	201	201
N. Y. O. & W.	12,500	53¼	54	52¾	53¾	52¾
Nor. & Western	10,100	87¾	87¾	87	87¾	87¾
Nor. Amer.	51,000	101¾	106¾	101¼	104¾	101¼
Nor. Pacific	25,700	202	204	201	203	204
Pacific Coast	9,400	106	111	106	111	
Do 2d pfd	1,100	107	110	107	109¾	107¾
Pacific Mail	16,400	47¾	48¾	47¾	48¾	48¾
Pennsylvania	28,700	144¾	148	144¾	145	145
People's Gas	3,800	101¼	101¾	100¼	100¾	101
P. C. C. & St. L.	100	40	40	40	40	40
Pressed Steel	1,300	50¾	50¾	50¾	50¾	50¾
Do pfd	100	100	100	100	100	100
Pullman	100	243	248	243	243	
Ry. Steel Spg.	1,100	60¾	61¾	60¾	61	60¾
Ry. Steel Spg. pfd	100	97¼	97¼	97¼	97¼	97
Reading	49,700	144	144	143	143¾	143¼
Do 1st pfd	1,100	94	94	94	94	94
Rep. I. & S.	38,200	87¼	88¾	87	88¾	86¾
Do pfd	8,000	103¾	106¾	103¾	106	103¾
Rock Island	2,700	24¾	25¾	24¾	25¾	24¾
Do pfd	5,400	62¾	63¾	62¾	63¾	62¾
St. J. & G. I.	700	24	26	24	26	23
St. L. & S. F.	1,100	63¾	64	63¾	64	63¼
Do 1st pfd	600	85	86¼	85	86	
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd	500	88	90	40	45¾	48¼
St. L. S. W.	6,200	34¾	35¾	34¾	35¾	34¾
Do pfd	900	55¼	56	55¼	56	55¼
Sloss Sheffield	13,900	93	94	93	94	93¼
Southern Pacific	62,800	69¾	73¾	69¾	73¼	69¾
Do pfd	100	114¾	114¾	114¾	114¾	114¾
Southern Ry.	6,800	37¾	37¾	37	37¼	37¾
Do pfd	200	101	101	101	101	101
*Tenn. Coal	6,000	133	139	133	136	134
Texas Pacific	13,100	34¾	34¾	34¼	34¼	34¼
Texas Land	4,200	72¾	73¾	72¾	73¾	74¼
Third Ave.	2,500	108½	108½	107½	107½	107½
Toledo Ry.	400	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
T. St. L. & W.	1,900	33	33	32¾	32¾	32¾
Do pfd	1,400	67¾	68¾	67¾	68¾	67¾
Twin City	300	120	120¾	119	119	120
Un. Bag pfd.	100	104¾	104¾	104¾	104¾	107
Union Pacific	338,100	144	149¾	143¾	149¾	143¾
United Iav. pfd.	300	92	92¼	92	92¼	92¼
Un. St. L. pfd.	200	87	87	87	87	
U. S. Express	2,100	51¾	51¾	51¾	51¾	50¾
U. S. Rubber	200	35	35	34	34	34
Do 1st pfd	1,400	112¾	112¾	112¾	112¾	112¾
Do 2d pfd	1,400	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾
U. S. Steel	21,600	44¾	45¾	44¾	45¾	44
Do pfd	36,100	107¾	108¾	107¾	107¾	107¾
Va. Coal & Coke	300	60¾	63¾	60¾	63¾	60¾
Va. Car. Chem.	5,500	64¾	64¾	64¼	64¾	64¾
Virginia Ry.	200	50	50	50	50	50
Wabash	2,100	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
Do pfd	4,200	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾	41
Western Md.	1,100	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
Westinghouse	400	170	173¾	170	173¾	170
W. & L. E.	4,200	18	19	18	18½	17¾
Do 1st pfd	1,000	78	78	78	78	78
Do 2d pfd	1,900	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
Wis. Central	1,200	30	31	30	31	31
Do pfd	600	50¾	50¾	50¾	50¾	50¾
Total	1,493,800	shares.				

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Adams	240	United States	115@125
American	220	Wells Fargo	220@225

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U S 3s coup.	108@104	D C 3.65s	118 bid
U S 4s small	102¾ bid	Phil 4s	100¾@110¾
U S 4s reg.	103@104		

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$6000 do reg		$6000 Long Is fdg 4s	
$6000 do new 4s reg	131¾		101¼@¾

TOTAL SALES.

Adventure 310
Allouez 410
Amalgamated 13,976
Am. Zinc 100
Anaconda 170
Arnold 150
Atlantic 200
Bingham 1,000
Bonanza 225
Boston Con. 2,300
Con. Mercur 450
Calumet 16
Centennial 350
Copper Range 1,200
Dom. I. & S. 585
D. West 425
Franklin 1,225
G. Copper 1,220
Granby 420
Isle Royale 1,000
Mass. 890
Michigan 785
Mont. Coal 250
North Butte 4,350
Nevada 2,070
Old Colony Min. 100
Osceola 130
Old Dom. 3,787
Parrott 2,020
Quincy 630
Rhode Island 700
Shannon 1,791
Tamarack 123
Tecumseh 943
Trinity 880
U. S. Mining 7,498
Utah 9,000
United Copper 2,750
U. S. Oil 740
Victoria 4,215
Wolverine 11
Am. Agr. 1,775
Do pfd 150
Am. Press 400
Do pfd 120
Am. T. & T. 620
Mass. Gas 1,181
Do pfd 530
Merg 35
N. E. Tel. 186
Pullman 10
Swift 70
Do rights 1,190
West. T. C. 50
Chicago Junction 710
Do pfd 400
Mass. Gas 1st 1,000
Do pfd 350
Old Col. R. R. 160
United Fruit 131
United Shoe 475
Do pfd 60
Total sales, $3,713,000.

IN THE BOSTON MONEY MARKET.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 11.—The Boston market was active and strong today, with the trading well distributed. Amalgamated grew buoyant in the late afternoon on heavy buying, advancing to 111¼. The issues of the new United States Smelting and Refining and Mining company were quoted, preferred 45, common 58. The relatively high price of the latter was due to the fact that only $90,000 shares will be issued, while of the preferred there will be $20,000. North Butte advanced 2 to 71½, and Utah ¾ to 65¼. Chicago Stockyards became active and rose ¾ to 182. Woolen common was taken in hand by New Yorkers and put up 1¾ to 47. Tamarack sold freely, losing 10 to 167, while Quincy was freely bought up to 114 on advance of 4. Call loans, 6@8 per cent. Time loans, collateral, 5½@6 per cent. Time loans, mercantile paper, 5½ per cent. Clearing house loans, 6 per cent.

	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Adventure	310	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾
Allouez	410	44	44	43	44
Amalgamated	13,976	110¾	111⅜	110¾	111⅛
Am. Zinc	100	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
Anaconda	170	65	65⅞	65	65¼
Arnold	150	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
Atlantic	200	27	27	27	27
Bingham	1,000	36¾	36¾	35	35
Bonanza	225	65	65	65	65
Boston Con.	2,300	31¼	31¾	30¾	31⅛
Con. Mercur	450	62	62	62	62
Calumet	16	705	705	704	705
Centennial	350	31	31	30½	30½
Copper Range	1,200	82	83	82	82½
Dom. I. & S.	585	27¾	28	27¼	28
D. West	425	17	17	16¾	16¾
Franklin	1,225	18	18⅛	18	18⅛
G. Copper	1,220	29¾	29¾	29¼	29¼
Granby	420	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
Isle Royale	1,000	27¾	27¾	26¾	26¾
Mass.	890	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Michigan	785	17	17	16¾	17
Mont. Coal	250	4½	4½	4½	4½
North Butte	4,350	88	88¾	87	87¾
Nevada	2,070	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Old Colony Min.	100	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
Osceola	130	103	106	103	103
Old Dom.	3,787	40	40	40	40
Parrott	2,020	39	40	39	39¼
Quincy	630	110¾	114	110	114
Rhode Island	700	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Shannon	1,791	5¾	6¼	5¾	6
Tamarack	123	112	112	107	110
Tecumseh	943	17	17	16¾	16¾
Trinity	880	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
U. S. Mining	7,498	49¾	49¾	48	48¾
Utah	9,000	65¾	65¾	63½	63¾
United Copper	2,750	64	65¼	64	64
U. S. Oil	740	12	12¼	12	12¼
Victoria	4,215	6¾	7	6¾	7¼
Wolverine	11	184½	184½	184½	184½
Am. Agr.	1,775	28¾	28¾	27¾	27¾
Do pfd	150	98	98	98	98
Am. Press	400	15	15	15	15
Do pfd	120	82	82	82	82
Am. T. & T.	620	136	136¼	136	136¼
Mass. Gas	1,181	47¾	47¾	47¾	47¾
Do pfd	530	86	86	86	86
Merg	35	162	162	161¼	161¼
N. E. Tel.	186	135¾	135¾	135¼	135¼
Pullman	10	244	244	244	244
Swift	70	106¾	106¾	106¼	106¼
Do rights	1,190	1.05	.95	.95	.95
West. T. C.	50	14	14	14	14
Chicago Junction	710	174	182	174	182
Do pfd	400	123	123	123	123
Mass. Gas 1st	1,000	86	86	86	86
Do pfd	350	65¾	66	65¾	66
Old Col. R. R.	160	209	209	209	209
United Fruit	131	105	106¼	105	106
United Shoe	475	74	74	74	74
Do pfd	60	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾

IN FOREIGN MONEY MARKET.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Money was in increased stock exchange demand today and the tone was uneasy owing to the uncertainty as to the immediate future. If the foreign demands continue the Bank of England may soon be compelled to raise its rate of discount. Discounts were steady.

Trading on the stock exchange was quiet and undecided. Attention centered on the conclusion of the settlement. Consols were steady and closed a fraction better. Those of Paris were firm. Americans opened dull, rallied irregularly mostly to slightly over parity, and closed erratic. Denver and Rio Grande and Southern Pacific were in good demand. Foreigners were quietly firm. Russians, Japanese, and Peruvians had a better tone but closed easier. Japanese imperial 6s of 1904 were quoted at 102¾.

The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

	Francs.
Notes in circulation, decreased	182,150,000
Treasury deposits, decreased	30,525,000
General deposits, decreased	35,950,000
Gold in hand, increased	17,175,000
Silver in hand, decreased	900,000
Bills discounted, decreased	206,050,000
Advances, decreased	16,525,000

BERLIN, Jan. 11.—Prices on the boerse today opened weaker, due to realizations. Later stocks became stronger.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS OF AMERICAN SECURITIES IN LONDON.

	Wednesday, 4 p. m.	Thursday, day.	Wednesday's 4 p. m.	N. Y. equiv.	N. Y. close.
Atchison	94¾	97¾	95¾	95¾	94¾
Do pfd	106¼	106¼	106¼	106¼	103¾
Balto. & Ohio	117¾	118	118	118	114½
Can. Pacific	180¾	180¾	175¾	175	
Ches. & Ohio	58½	58½	57	57	56¾
Chi. Gt. Western	22¾	22¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Chi. M. & St. Paul	183¼	187¾	183	183	182¾
Erie	50¼	50	48¾	48¾	48¾
Do 1st pfd	83	83	80¾	80¾	80¾
Do 2d pfd	76¾	76¾	74¾	74¾	73¾
Ill. Central	180¾	180¾	175¾	175¾	176
Louis. & Nash	157¾	156½	152¾	152¾	152¾
M., K. & T.	40¾	40¾	39¾	39¾	40¼
Do pfd	71¾	71¾	70¾	70¾	70¾
N. Y. Central	158¾	158	153¾	153¾	153¾
Nor. & West.	90	89¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
Ont. & West	54¼	54¾	53¾	53¾	52¾
Pennsylvania	74¾	74¾	144¾	144¾	144¾
Reading	74¾	74¾	73¾	73¾	143¾
Do 1st pfd	48¾	48¾	94¾	94¾	94¾
Do 2d pfd	35¾	36¼	35¾	35¾	35¾
Southern Ry.	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾
Do pfd	90	89¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
Texas Pacific	34¾	34¾	34¼	34¼	34¼
Union Pacific	148¾	149¾	143¾	143¾	143¾
Do pfd	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
U. S. Steel	45¾	45¾	43¾	43¾	44
Do pfd	108¾	108¾	107¾	107¾	107¾
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Cattle.

Butcher cattle sales were made on a generally steady basis, the demand being largely from the local packers. The bulk of the good cows sold within a range of $3.50 to $3.75. Bulls were steady. Choice export bulls sold for $4.00. Calves generally were steady, but top sorts were scarce:

The range of prices:

Choice to prime steers	$5.80@6.35
Common to good steers	4.40@5.50
Inferior to common steers	3.40@4.40
Good to fancy cows and heifers	3.60@5.60
Yearlings, good to choice	4.00@5.50
Fair to choice feeders	3.40@4.50
Fair to choice stockers	2.75@3.40
Good cutting to fair beef cows	2.40@2.85
Common to good canning cows	1.40@2.25
Bulls, common to good	2.00@4.10
Calves, common to good	4.00@7.00
Calves, good to fancy	7.00@8.25

Sheep

Western lambs were sold for $7.65, and one lot of native lambs, early in the day, for $7.85. Some native lambs at $5.85 looked steady, but the market was generally slow.

Prices of the day:

Fair to prime wethers	$5.50@6.00
Ewes, good to prime	5.50@5.85
Yearlings, good to choice	6.00@6.75
Culls, ewes, good to fair	3.00@4.00
Bucks and stags	3.50@4.25
Feeding lambs	5.25@6.75
Native lambs, good to prime	7.00@7.85
Fed lambs	6.50@7.65
Breeding ewes	4.00@5.00

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Beeves—Receipts, 284; nothing doing; steady. Liverpool and London cables quoted live cattle and refrigerator beef steady. Exports today, 800 cattle and 5,840 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 82; steady; veals, $5.00@9.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,210; steady; yearlings, $6.80. Hogs—Receipts, 7,728; easy at $5.75@6.00.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,700, including 500 southerns; steady to strong; steers, $3.25@4.00; native heifers, $3.00@5.00; calves, $3.00@7.00. Hogs—Receipts, 12,800; steady; closed weak; top, $5.37½; bulk, $5.20@5.32½. Sheep—Receipts, 7,500; steady to 10c lower; native lambs, $5.50@7.50.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,600, including 500 Texans; steady; steers, $4.25@5.90; cows and heifers, $2.15@3.85; calves, $4.00@5.75. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; steady; best heavy, $5.25@5.40. Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; steady; muttons, $5.00@5.00; lambs, $5.50@7.65.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; steady to strong; native steers, $3.50@5.40; calves, $2.50@5.00. Hogs—Receipts, 3,800; steady to strong; heavy, $5.20@5.37½; bulk, $5.20@5.32½. Sheep—Receipts, 3,200; 10@15c lower; yearlings, $6.00@6.20; lambs, $7.00@7.50.

EGGS HAVE A SHARP DECLINE.

Eggs were decidedly weak, quotations being marked down 2@3½c for fresh and ½c for storage eggs. Aside from a limited retail trade there was no demand, and holders offered their stock freely in an effort to make sales. Receipts are increasing steadily, and buyers are consequently not anxious to bid at prevailing prices.

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live turkeys	14c
Live chickens	7@11½c
Spring chickens	10½c
Live geese, per doz	$6.50@7.50
Dressed ducks	10@13c
Live ducks	12c
Dressed turkeys	13@17½c
Dressed chickens	8@11½c

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Eggs, extra fine, $0 per case; fresh	22½c
Do prime firsts	22½c
Do at mark, general receipts, cases included	18@20c
Do storage	17½c
Butter, dairies,	
Cooley's	19@22c
Creamery, extra	26½c
Firsts	19@23c
Seconds	17@18c
Packing stock	15@15½c
Cheese, twins	11¾@12¾c
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WAY TIME TABLES.

TERN ROADS.

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DEATHS.

BOLES—Clara Bergh, beloved wife of Louis Bergh, Jan. 11, aged 64 years. Funeral from late residence, 112 Hudson-av., Saturday, Jan. 14, at 2:30 p. m. Burial at Rosehill.

BOWEN—Alice Marcia Bowen, beloved daughter of Ralph R. and Alice Bowen, Jan. 9, aged 2 years 7 months, at residence, 553 E. 55th-st. Funeral 2:30 Friday afternoon, to Oakwoods.

BURKE—Jan. 11, 1906, at 829 W. 47th-st., William Edward Burke, dearly beloved child of David and Margaret Burke, Kyan, aged 1 year 1 month. Funeral Saturday at 10:30 a. m. from 47th and Halsted-st. depot, by train to Mount Olivet.

BUSH—Mrs. Ella L. Cobb, widow of the late Joseph A. Cobb, at Tryon, N. C., formerly of Chicago, 57 years old, sister of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Lovejoy, mother of Mrs. Carrie Watkins and Mrs. H. J. Funeral from late residence, 1261 Washington-blvd.

CORCORAN—Madge M. Corcoran, daughter of the late Thomas and Mary, at Redlands, Cal., from 324 Peoria-st., to All Saints' church; carriages to Calvary.

DEISEL—Mrs. Gottfried Deisel, 9244 Superior-av., widow of the late Gottfried. Funeral Friday, at 1:30 p. m., to Oakwoods cemetery.

DURKIN—William P. Durkin, Jan. 10, husband of Margaret, 2835 5th-av. Funeral Saturday, at 8:30 a. m., to St. James' church; cars to Mount Olivet.

ELDER—John Dyer, husband of Kate. Funeral Friday, at 9:30 a. m.; 210 Austin-av., to St. Mel's church; carriages to Mount Carmel.

FAULKNER—Gertrude Edgerton Faulkner, wife of Wesley Faulkner, daughter of Sophia and Charles H. Edgerton. Funeral service 9 o'clock Saturday morning at her late residence, 4 Forty-av. Burial at Milwaukee. Milwaukee papers please copy.

FLYNN—Catherine Flynne, widow of the late Thomas. Funeral 382 W. Ohio-st., Friday, 9 a. m., to St. Columbkill's church; carriages to Mount Olivet.

GRIFFIN—John Griffin, Jan. 11, son of Patrick and Ellen. Funeral Saturday at 9 a. m., 215 S. Ashland-blvd., to St. Patrick's church; carriages to Mount Carmel.

HALLERAN—Ellen Halleran, widow of the late Patrick. Funeral Friday at 9 a. m., 375 20th-st., to St. James' church; cars to Mount Olivet.

HEENEY—Michael Heeney, husband of Margaret. Funeral from 398 Austin-av., to St. Columbkill's church, Sunday, 11 a. m.; carriages to Mount Olivet.

HUNT—Mrs. E. J. Hunt, at Indianapolis, Ind., a native of Des Moines, Ia., in her 71st year, wife of Miss N. June Murry of Chicago, Mrs. Gordon and Mrs. Marie Zinsmaster of Indianapolis. The remains will be taken to Des Moines, Ia., and placed in the vault.

KIMBALL—Alma Louise Kimball, Jan. 10, at the home of Edwin Walker, 2612 Michigan-av. Funeral at Grace Episcopal church, Saturday, 2:30 p. m. Burial private.

LARSEN—Christiana Knudsen, Wednesday, wife of William Larsen. Funeral Sunday at 1 p. m., 909 Noble-st., to Mount Olive.

LAMBERT—Jenne Lambert, Wednesday, Jan. 10, 1:30 p. m., aged 11 years 9 months, beloved child of Frank and Elizabeth Lambert, sister of Frances Lambert. Funeral takes place Sunday, Jan. 13, at 2 p. m. From late residence, 835 Addison-av., to St. Andrew's church, then to St. Boniface's cemetery.

LARSON—Johanna Maria Larson, widow of the late Lars. Funeral Friday, 395 33d-st., at 10:30 a. m., to Mount Olivet.

MONAHAN—Mary Monahan, nee Carney, beloved wife of the late Patrick, mother of Edward Monahan, at her residence, 265 Grand-av. Notice later. Canadian papers please copy.

MULLIN—Thomas Mullin, son of Mary and the late John. Funeral Saturday, 8:30 a. m., 2949 Dearborn-av., to St. James' church; carriages to Calvary.

MUSHAM—Caroline Musham, nee Llewellyn, beloved wife of Thomas H. Funeral from her late residence, 1352 Newport-av., Sunday, Jan. 14, at 2 p. m., by carriages to Graceland. St. Paul (Minn.), Hutchinson and Spokane (Minn.) papers please copy.

PARTY—Nora Marty, at 5344 Wentworth-av., daughter of Florence and Mary. Funeral at 9:30 a. m., to St. Ann's church; cars to Mount Olivet.

RYAN—Thomas McDonald, Jan. 10, son of Hugh and Ida. Funeral 368 S. Hermitage-av., Friday; cars to Calvary.

SCHECK—Johanna Scheck, daughter of Anna and the late Marcus. Funeral 5311 Armour-av., Saturday at 1:30 p. m., to Oakwoods.

SCHMIDT—Fredericke Schmidt, Jan. 9. Funeral Saturday at 2 o'clock, to Wunderlich cemetery.

SHEEHAN—Mary Sheehan, Jan. 10, widow of the late John, 152 Shotto-st.

SHERIDAN—Mrs. Florence Meeker Sheridan, widow of Richard Sheridan, Jan. 11, aged 57. Funeral Saturday at 2 o'clock from St. Mark's church, 36th and Cottage Grove, to Oakwoods cemetery. New Orleans and Mobile papers please copy.

SMITH—Mary Smith, at residence, 1937 Wesley-av., Evanston, beloved mother of May Anna and Arthur Smith. Funeral Saturday, Jan. 13, 9:30 a. m., St. Mary's church, by train to Lake Forest.

SPIESBERGER—Mrs. Blanche Spiesberger, beloved wife of Samuel E. Spiesberger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Eisendrath, and sister of Joseph and Leon, 4544 Grand-blvd., Thursday, Jan. 11, 2 p. m., at Minneapolis, Minn. Funeral notice later.

STOLLE—Minnie Stolle, wife of Frank. Funeral Saturday, 12:30 p. m., 960 21st-pl.; carriages to Waldheim.

STRAW—Hattie Loveday Straw, beloved wife of Lucius E. Straw, at her residence, 5008 Forestville-av., Jan. 10, 1906. Funeral services at Graceland chapel Friday at 2 p. m.

TAYLOR—Mary E. Taylor, Jan. 10, 1906, mother of Ray Taylor. Funeral services under the auspices of the Maccabees at late residence, 822 W. Madison-st., Friday evening at 9 p. m. Burial at St. Joe, Ind., Saturday, by B. & O., 10:40 a. m. train.

FUNERAL TRAINS.

MOUNT HOPE CEMETERY FUNERAL TRAIN by Grand Trunk R. R. leaves Polk-st. depot (Polk and Dearborn-sts.) daily at 12 m.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, Washington, D. C., Jan. 11.—Forecast for Friday and Saturday:

For Illinois and Indiana—Fair Friday and Saturday, fresh west winds.

For Wisconsin—Fair in west, snow in east portion Friday, Saturday fair, fresh west winds.

For lower Michigan—Fair Friday, except snow in east portion, Saturday fair, fresh west winds.

For upper Michigan, Minnesota, and Wisconsin—Fair and colder Friday, Saturday fair, fresh west winds.

For Iowa and Missouri—Fair Friday and Saturday.

For North Dakota—Fair and warmer Friday, Saturday snow.

For Nebraska and South Dakota—Fair Friday, Saturday rain or snow.

Place of observation.

Time taken:

Jan. 11, 7 p. m.

	Thermometer:	Max. temp.	Direction of wind.	Precipitation 24 hours.	State of weather.
Abilene	46	54	N.	....	Clear
Albany	34	44	S.	....	Clo'dy
Alpena	36	36	N.W.	.74	Rain
Atlanta	36	50	N.W.	....	Clo'dy
Amarillo	40	48	W.	....	Clear
Battleford	10	24	W.	....	Clear
Bismarck	10	24	N.W.	....	Clear
Buffalo	44	46	S.	....	Clo'dy
Boston	44	54	SE.	....	Clo'dy
Cairo	36	50	S.	.08	Clo'dy
Calgary	10	18	Calm	....	Clo'dy
Charles City	22	32	W.	....	Clo'dy
Charlotte	36	42	N.E.	.10	Clo'dy
Cheyenne	34	44	S.W.	....	Clo'dy
Chicago	36	38	W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Cincinnati	36	38	W.	.08	Clo'dy
Cleveland	34	40	S.	.02	Clo'dy
Concordia	34	50	S.	....	Clear
Davenport	34	34	N.W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Denver	36	46	N.	....	Clear
Des Moines	32	36	S.W.	....	Clo'dy
Detroit	34	36	S.W.	....	Clo'dy
Devils Lake	6	20	N.	....	Clear
Dodge	36	38	S.	....	Clo'dy
Dubuque	32	36	W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Duluth	20	28	W.	....	Clo'dy
El Paso	36	56	E.	....	Clear
Edmonton	14	28	Calm	....	Fair
Escanaba	32	34	S.W.	....	Fair
Galveston	44	54	S.	.04	Clear
Grand Rapids	34	40	S.W.	....	Clear
Green Bay	32	38	S.W.	....	Clear
Grand Haven	36	38	S.W.	....	Clear
Havre	20	22	N.E.	....	Clo'dy
Helena	22	28	W.	.06	Clo'dy
Huron	32	34	W.	....	Clear
Indianapolis	34	34	S.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Jacksonville	58	68	E.	Tr.	Clear
Kansas City	36	38	N.W.	.04	Clo'dy
Lander	16	34	N.W.	....	Fair
Little Rock	38	48	N.W.	.04	Fair
Los Angeles	54	60	S.W.	....	Fair
Madison	32	36	S.W.	....	Clo'dy
Marquette	32	36	S.W.	....	Clo'dy
Memphis	36	40	N.	.18	Clo'dy
Medicine Hat	10	24	W.	....	Clo'dy
Milwaukee	32	38	S.W.	....	Clo'dy
Minnedosa	12	22	W.	....	Clear
Monterey	42	50	N.E.	.40	Clo'dy
Montreal	16	18	S.	....	Clo'dy
Moorhead	20	32	W.	....	Clear
Nashville	38	48	S.E.	.66	Clo'dy
New Orleans	48	54	N.	.44	Clo'dy
New York City	40	42	N.	....	Clo'dy
Norfolk	48	50	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
North Platte	34	40	S.W.	....	Clear
Oklahoma	40	42	W.	Tr.	Fair
Omaha	36	38	S.W.	....	Clo'dy
Oswego	34	38	S.	....	Clo'dy
Palestine	38	44	N.	....	Clo'dy
Parkersburg	36	42	S.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Philadelphia	40	42	E.	....	Clo'dy
Pittsburg	42	46	S.	....	Clo'dy
Pueblo	36	42	N.E.	....	Clear
Qu'Appelle	6	20	N.	....	Clear
Rapid City	24	36	S.E.	....	Clear
San Francisco	50	56	S.E.	.01	Clo'dy
St. Louis	36	38	W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
St. Paul	30	36	W.	....	Clear
Salt Lake City	40	42	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
San Antonio	56	64	N.E.	....	Clear
San Diego	54	60	S.W.	....	Fair
Ste. Marie	36	36	S.W.	....	Clo'dy
Springfield, Ill.	34	36	W.	.04	Clo'dy
Springfield, Mo.	34	34	N.W.	.04	Clo'dy
Vicksburg	44	46	N.W.	.40	Clo'dy
Washington	38	42	N.E.	....	Clo'dy
White River	30	36	....	.02	Clear
Wichita	42	46	N.W.	.01	Clear
Williston	12	20	N.	Tr.	Clear
Winnipeg	12	24	N.W.	....	Clear

WEATHER IN CHICAGO.

The temperature as observed yesterday by L. Manasse, optician, 88 Madison street, Tribune building, was as follows: Thermometer at 7 a. m., 34 degrees above zero; 9 a. m., 35; 10 a. m., 37; 11 a. m., 38; 12 m., 40; 1 p. m., 41; 3 p. m., 39; 6 p. m., 39. Barometer—8 a. m., 29.75; 6 p. m., 29.76.

FOREIGN MAIL SCHEDULE.

FOREIGN MAILS WILL CLOSE AT CHICAGO postoffice as follows:

For Switzerland, Spain, Portugal, Egypt, Turkey, Greece, British India, Roumania, Belgium, Cape Colony, and Lourenzo Marquez, 4:45 p. m.

For Cuba, 7:30 p. m.

For Alaska, 9 p. m.

For Manitoba, British Columbia, and Northwest Territory, 9 p. m.

For Jamaica, West Indies, 12 p. m.

For Austria, Denmark, Germany, Great Britain, Ireland, Norway, Netherlands, Russia, and Sweden, via S. S. Baltic, Monday, Jan. 15, 12 p. m.

FRED A. BUSSE, Postmaster.

OFFICIAL DEATH RECORD.

THE FOLLOWING BURIAL PERMITS WERE issued yesterday by the health department:

Abramovitz, Emma, 24; 506 W. 12th-st., Jan. 11.
Adler, Henrietta, 14 days; 104 Austin-av., Jan. 10.
Anton, William, 1; 466 W. 13th-st., Jan. 11.
Apata, Antonia, 81; 8829 Wood-st., Jan. 10.
Austin, George, 70; 224 Prairie-av., Jan. 9.
Bowen, Alice M., 2; 553 55th-st., Jan. 9.
Bowen, Charles, 20; 5946 Halsted-st., Jan. 9.
Broenniecke, Therese, 75; 1777 Deming-pl., Jan. 9.
Carlson, John, 47; 854 N. Artesian-av., Jan. 8.
Chandler, Georgie E., 36; 3608 Lake-av., Jan. 9.
Chimer, Mary, 83; 559 Fulton-st., Jan. 10.
Dalkin, William P., 2835 5th-av., Jan. 10.
Dorherty, Mary, 1; 13 Crested-av., Jan. 10.
Dickson, Henry L., 33; 3236 Wabash-av., Jan. 10.
Doerr, John, 65; 806 North Halsted-st., Jan. 9.
Downey, Sarah M., 28; 1948 Halsted-st., Jan. 9.
Driver, Stellus, 63; Home of the Aged, Jan. 10.
Falst, Frank, 80; 242 Townsend-st., Jan. 9.
Fox, Charles H., 76; 585 East Ohio-st., Jan. 10.
Fruehwirth, Rose, 4 months; 1638 51st-st., Jan. 10.
Gavelas, George, 20; 371 Halsted-st., Jan. 4.
Gildermeister, Henrietta, 60; 106 Seminary-av., Jan. 9.
Gladstone, Anastasia, 21 days; 859 Hamlin-av., Jan. 10.
Graykowski, Stanislaw, 1; 9218 Commercial-av., Jan. 8.
Griffin, John, 45; 215 Morgan-st., Jan. 11.
Halloran, Ellen, 49; 375 20th-st., Jan. 11.
Hanell, John, 78; Cook County Consumption hospital, Jan. 3.
Hansen, Matthias, 84; 283 Evanston-av., Jan. 9.
Harper, William Rainey, 49; Lexington avenue and 59th-st., Jan. 10.
Hayward, Augusta, 53; 6400 Madison-av., Jan. 10.
Hesler, Charlotte, 39; 8353 Ingleside-av., Jan. 9.
Iverson, Alice, 4; 7219 Cottage Grove-av., Jan. 10.
Jones, Lena, 21; 2951 La Salle-av., Jan. 8.
Kelley, George, baby; 222 W. 14th-st., Jan. 11.
King, John P., 68; 809 Haddon-av., Jan. 9.
Knudson, Christine, 50; 909 N. Maplewood-av., Jan. 10.
Lambert, Jennie, 11; 835 Addison-av., Jan. 10.
Lerentar, Lilly, 2; 49 Waller-st., Jan. 10.
Lynch, Ellen, 69; 4512 Wabash-av., Jan. 9.
Matthes, Herman, 61; 2423 Lincoln-av., Dec. 30.
McCarthy, Nora, 21; 5117 Michigan-av., Jan. 9.
McKane, John, 58; 4445 Halsted-st., Jan. 8.
Monahan, Mary, 54; 265 Grand-av., Jan. 11.
Montonda, Rose, 58; 877 Polk-st., Jan. 10.
Mullin, Thomas, 27; 2949 Wentworth-av., Jan. 10.
Murphy, Mary A., 18; 5444 Prairie-av., Jan. 8.
Naughton, George, 60; 277 W. Polk-st., Jan. 9.
Nehring, Theophile, 56; 185 Wabansia-av., Jan. 8.
Ohman, Theresa, 26; Cook County Insane asylum, Jan. 2.
Parucha, Rosie, 19; 5012 Hermitage-av., Jan. 10.
Ranman, Wilhelmina, 83; 1569 Division-st., Jan. 10.
Rappold, Mary, 88; 3545 Emerald-av., Jan. 9.
Ross, Alexander, 40; 520 Orchard-st., Jan. 10.
Ryan, William, 54; 108 W. Madison-st., Jan. 4.
Schmidt, Matthias, 76; Cook County infirmary, Jan. 9.
Schoknecht, Emma, 6; 200 Commercial-av., Jan. 8.
Schreier, George, 68; Cook County Consumption hospital, Jan. 4.
Scott, Noah, 40; 2721 State-st., Dec. 30.
Setterling, Mary, 83; 1616 Maplewood-av., Jan. 8.
Shmidt, Frederick, 59; 1023 Osgood-st., Jan. 9.
Shouba, Josephine, 58; 987 Millard-av., Jan. 10.
Siems, William J., 30; Freeport, Ill., Jan. 11.
Soukup, John, 9 months; 3548 Butler-st., Jan. 9.
Stern, Samuel, 75; 8747 Houston-av., Jan. 9.
Stolle, Minnie A., 25; 950 West 21st-pl., Jan. 10.
Taylor, John H., 41; 3238 West Adams-st., Jan. 10.
Tryk, John, 1 month; 4957 Princeton-av., Jan. 10.
Walters, Fred, 43; 1079 West 21st-pl., Jan. 9.
Wenceki, Antone, 7 months; 2440 Kensington-av., Jan. 10.
Welter, Mary, 16; 37 Florimond-st., Jan. 10.
Westley, Laurence, baby; 460 School-st., Jan. 10.
Wilcewski, Xavier, 45; 603 Dickson-st., Jan. 10.
Wilson, Benjamin, 55; 1258 Indiana-av., Jan. 4.
Wilton, Ara, 52; 104 Austin-av., Jan. 9.

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LOST — ON MONDAY, IN CARSON, PIRIE, Scott's, a purse; owner's initials, A. G. H., engraved inside. If finder will notify Box 64, Kenilworth, Ill., will receive reward.

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WANTED—WE ARE CASH BUYERS FOR REAL estate in any part of the city, vacant or improved. If you want to sell see us. NEWELL & LEONARDSON, 1068 E. 61st-st.

WANTED—ONE ACRE OR TWO ACRE TRACT of land; not more than 21 pt. less than 12 miles from Chicago. Address V 311, Tribune office.

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WANTED—LARGE MODERN HOUSE; BREXel, Grand, or adjacent; buy or rent; 36th to 43d. HELLWELL, 556 47th-st.

WANTED—WE ARE THE QUICKEST CASH buyers for improved or vacant city property. Grove-av., e. f., near 66th, at $45.
S. SCHALLMANN & CO., 1204 134 Washington-st.

WANTED—FOR SPOT CASH, MODERN 3 OR 4 flat brick bldg., West or Northwest Side.
C. F. SCHULTZ, 163 E. Randolph-st.

WANTED—FOR CASH; REAL ESTATE IN ALL parts of the city; quick action. R. S. BURKE & CO., 161 Randolph-st.

WANTED—MODERN 2 FLAT BUILDING, cash from owner, south of 40th, north of Garfield Park Bank, 2024 W. Madison-st.

WANTED—2 OR 3 FLATS FOR CASH.
GARFIELD OR DOUGLES PARK.
GEO. W. COBB & CO., 107 DEARBORN-ST.

GEORGE A. REUSS, JR., 328, 108 Washington-st.

WANTED—WE PAY CASH FOR IMPROVED South Side bargains and close deals in 5 days.
W. H. BOWERS & CO., 5457 Indiana-av.

WANTED—10 TO 50 LOTS; CHEAP FOR CASH. Address V 166, Tribune office.

WANTED—OF OWNER, BEST 8-10 ROOM N. side res. $12,000 cash will buy. V 405, Tribune.

REAL ESTATE—NORTH SIDE.

FOR SALE—12 ROOM MODERN HIGH CLASS residence, situated on Ontario-st.; fine location, plumbing; all in A1 condition; cost to build originally $25,000. A bargain now at $16,000.

Leased until May 1, '06, for $1,000 per year. Lessee will renew for year.
LOT 303X125 FT.
10 minutes' walk to center of city.

FRED'K H. BARTLETT & CO., 100 Washington-st.

FOR SALE—ELEGANT NEW HOUSE; EDGEwater; 8 rooms; ready for occupancy; on account of advance in price of lots this Edgewater home positively cannot be duplicated for the price; $4,300. Buy NOW and save money; strictly modern and high class; small cash payment; balance to suit. LEVELSON & LEWIN, 3087 Evanston-av. Phone Lake View 837.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—S. E. COR. SEMInary-pl. and Racine-av., two blocks Wrightwood-av. station N. W. L. 90x125, with 2 residences; $12,000; incumbrance $6,000; 5 yrs. 5½ per cent; commission to brokers. NEWBURY, 184 Dearborn.

FOR SALE EXCHANGE — EDGEWATER HOME. NEAR LAKE. Almost new; pressed brick front and sides; living room, 18x22 ft.; large porch; only $8,500; take North Side vacant or clear cottage, part pay.
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FOR SALE—A CORNER ON N. CLARK-ST., 1 flat bldgs. and enough vacant for another bldg.; bargain. Address B K 298, Tribune office.

FOR SALE—BUILDERS, ATTENTION — BIG snap; 200x150, s. w. cor. Sheridan-road and Wilson; the finest apartment corner on drive.
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FOR SALE—ROGERS PARK PROPERTY, S. ROGERS TOUHY. Original Owners. 84 La Salle-st. Tel. 3111 Main. Branch, Rogers Park.

FOR SALE—EDGEWATER SNAP — 50 FEET Lakewood-av., near Rosemont, only $1,450; worth $2,000. WM. D. FISCHER, 132 Clark-st.

FOR SALE—KENESAW TERRACE, VACANT, east of Clarendon-av., 50 or 100 feet; $85 per foot.
B. B. CLOVER & BRO., 1888 Evanston-av.

FOR SALE—$2,500, 6 ROOM BRICK COTTAGE, $100 cash, $10 and interest monthly.
SAM BROWN JR. & SON, 1001 La Salle-st.

FOR SALE—$9,000 BUYS FINE STONE FRONT 3 flat bldg., lot 82x125, near Lincoln Park.
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FOR SALE—ESTABLISHED REAL ESTATE and renting business in Kenwood. Station "W. "L"; price $1,500. Address B T 61, Tribune.

REAL ESTATE—NORTHWEST SIDE.

FOR SALE — BARGAINS; NOTHING BUT BARgains in lots, cottages, flats, and apartment buildings. We have the largest list on Northwest Side for cash or on easy terms. Send for list. Specialty. Call for list. JOS. SIMONS, 825 Armitage-av. Branch office, 2 doors north of Halsted.
Money to loan from $500 to $5,000.

FOR SALE—THE WILCOX HOUSES, IRVING Park; standard homes. Get illustrated catalogue.
WALTER W. WILCOX, Elston-av. and W. Irving Park-blvd.

FOR SALE—1971 AND 1973 N. HERMITAGE-av., 7 rooms; bargains.
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FOR SALE—FINE LOT ON FOWLER-ST., RUNning through to Evergreen-av.; a sure bargain at $2,200. O. A. LEWIS & CO., 1105 Milwaukee-av.

FOR SALE—IRVING PARK, 7 ROOM HOUSE, new furnace, 37½ ft. lot, $2,900. Easy terms.
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REAL ESTATE—MFG. PROPERTY.

FOR SALE—FACTORY, DOCK, AND WAREhouse property, vacant and improved; all parts of the city; switch tracks; terms to suit buyer.
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FOR SALE—MFG. PROPERTY, 140 FT. CLYbourn Junction. Owner, B. F. CARRINGTON, 25 North-place.

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FOR SALE—OAK PARK HOUSES AND LOTS; rents. THOS. H. GALE, 705 Tacoma Bldg., 131 La Salle-st., or opp. Oak Park sta. Lake-st. "L."

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL HOME IN LAKE Forest. Full particulars and terms on application. MASON & SMART, Evanston. Tel. 285.

FOR SALE—MAYWOOD HOMES, ON EASY terms, by Proviso Land Association, Tel. Main 604. 84 Clark-st.

FOR SALE—ACRE LOT ON THE HILL AT Wheaton, 2 blocks from depot; bargain for cash. ROBERTSON, 88 Washington-st.

FOR SALE—25 FEET, EAST SOUTH PARK, 37TH-ST. $700. 25 ft., Bonney-av. Elston, $200. B. F. SKIDMORE, 100 Washington-st., Suite 508.

FOR SALE—SKOKIE LAND, $100 AN ACRE; fine investment. 379, Tribune office.

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FOR SALE—80 ACRES RICH, LEVEL LAND; good 4 room house; barn; 600 fine bearing apple trees; 3½ miles county seat, on main road; $40 per acre; terms.
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FOR SALE—BUY A FARM—
Then you can BANK on a living. This kind of BANK never fails. Send for illustrated list.
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FOR SALE—120 ACRES FIRST CLASS FARMing land, good buildings, 3½ miles from good town. HUBBARD, CLOSSON & COLLINS, Benton Harbor, Michigan.

FOR SALE—COME TO NORTH DAKOTA and find rich farming land for $12.50 an acre; big crops, plenty of water, free title. WM. H. BROWN CO., 131 La Salle-st., Chicago, for facts.

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FOR SALE—291 ACRE GENTLEMAN'S FARM near Crystal Lake, Ill.; Georgia pine finished residence; barn, fruit; 6 acres timber; $4,600, ½ cash.
F. D. CALLAN & CO., 145 La Salle-st.

FOR SALE — FARMS—MICHIGAN NEAR BY Chicago; all points; others; free list; lakes; easy terms; exchanges. REPPERT, 155 Washington.

FOR SALE—WISCONSIN FARMS FROM 40 TO 400 acres, close to markets; prices range from $12 to $100. Address 263 Monadnock Block.

FOR SALE—$500 BUYS BEAUTIFUL 40 ACRE improved Wisconsin farm. $1,000 buys improved 80. MORTON T. SILVER, 78 La Salle-st.

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FOR SALE—CHOICE IOWA FARM; GENUINE bargain; 164 acres 2 miles Belle Plaine; price $65 per acre. Address V 406, Tribune office.

FOR SALE—FINEST FARM LANDS ON EARTH, located in the Panhandle of Texas.
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FOR SALE OR TRADE—IMPROVED 320 ACRE farm, 15 miles Topeka, Kas. Drannan, 636 Wells.

REAL ESTATE WANTED.

WANTED—I WANT AT ONCE FOR INVESTment and home, a 2 or 3 apartment bldg., east of Michigan-av. and bet. 22th and 23d-sts.; it must be well constructed and modern, but not necessarily in best location. Will pay $10,000 spot cash. Address D A 174, Tribune office.

WANTED—THE SELLING OF YOUR PROPERty. We do not list large properties. If you wish to make a quick deal, place your property with us at once.
DALY & CO., Real Estate Loans & Renting.
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WANTED—HAVE FINEST LOCATION FOR hotel in downtown district, 100x225; light on 4 sides; will lease ground and build to suit. Building. [H.] E. A. CUMMINGS & CO., 108 Dearborn-st.

WANTED—WE ARE IN THE MARKET FOR real estate bargains in every part; master's certificates, liens, etc., and can close all deals promptly; cash. Address P 598, Tribune office.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE FOR 300 CUSTOMers, who want to buy North Side, Lake View or Ravenswood improved buildings.
AUGUST TORPE, 147 E. North-av.

WANTED—BARGAINS IN CHICAGO PROPERty. Have the home, title customers with the money. Can close quick cash deals.
E. B. WOOLF & CO., 382 La Salle-st., Suite 701.

WANTED—COTTAGE; WINDSOR PARK OR Cheltenham; $2,000.
JOHN CHESHIRE & CO.,

WANTED—HAVE A CASH CUSTOMER FOR 2 flat, 7 and 8 rooms, west of Ashland, bet. Lake and Metropolitan Elevated; must be a bargain and clear. J. A. JOHNSON, 616 Ashland Block.

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WANTED—I MAKE A SPECIALTY OF DOUGlas and Garfield Parks property. If you wish to sell to your advantage, see me. H. ZUEGEL, 1031 W. 12th-st. Phone West 593.

WANTED—WE HAVE RESPONSIBLE CLIENTS for factory sites if owners will loan money to build.
HOLTON, SEELYE & CO., 204 Dearborn-st.

WANTED—ON HALSTED, MADISON, OR MILwaukee, the best stored and flats $15,000 cash will buy; prefer not ft. [H.]
E. A. CUMMINGS & CO., 108 Dearborn-st.

WANTED—FOR CASH CUSTOMER, 6-7 ROOM brick residence or 2 flat building

IN THE SOCIETY WORLD.

MISS DOROTHY FELTON WEDS CHARLES COUNSELMAN.

Marriage Takes Place at Residence of Bride's Parents, 528 Dearborn Avenue, the Rev. Frank Du Moulin Officiating, and a Reception Follows at the House—Miss May Chapman Lewis Becomes Wife of Mr. Howard S. Smith of Chicago.

The marriage of Miss Dorothy Low Felton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Felton, and Mr. Charles Counselman, son of Mrs. Charles Counselman, 5035 Greenwood avenue, took place yesterday afternoon. The ceremony was performed at 4 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents, 528 Dearborn avenue, the Rev. Frank Du Moulin officiating.

The house was profusely decorated with Easter lilies and bride roses. Miss Hadassah Felton attended her sister as maid of honor and another sister, Miss Ruth Felton, served as bridesmaid, together with Miss Elizabeth Hamilton of Pittsburg, Miss Margaret Felton of Philadelphia, Miss Maud Sattler of Cincinnati, and Miss Edith Counselman of Chicago.

Mr. Charles Yoe Freeman was the groom's best man and the ushers were Mr. Halstead Freeman, Mr. K. Sawyer Goodman, Mr. Keith Spalding, Mr. Edwin A. Potter Jr., Mr. Lawrence M. Andrews, and Mr. George B. Carpenter. A reception at the house followed the wedding.

The marriage of Miss May Champlin Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Lewis of East Orange, N. J., formerly of Chicago, to Mr. Howard S. Smith, son of Mr. J. P. Smith, 4935 Washington avenue, took place last evening at the Hotel Metropole. The wedding took place in Chicago because of the large family connection here and this city having been Mr. and Mrs. Lewis' former home.

The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock by the Rev. Herman Page of St. Paul's Episcopal church in Kenwood. Miss Belle Torrance Hall was the bride's only attendant and Mr. Walter L. Hudson attended the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith will go to California on their wedding trip and on their return will reside at 185 East Fifty-first street.

The marriage of Miss Harmon Spruance, daughter of Mrs. Harmon Spruance, to Mr. Samuel T. A. Loftis will take place next Thursday at the home of the bride's mother, 2400 South Park avenue. Mr. Loftis and his bride will go to California for their wedding trip and will make a six weeks' tour on the coast.

Mrs. Frederic William Upham of 8 Ritchie place, has issued invitations for a musical Thursday afternoon, Jan. 18, at 3 o'clock, at the Woman's Athletic club to meet Miss Hall and Mrs. John H. Lindsay.

PRESIDENT GIVES A DINNER.

Ambassadors, Ministers, and Foreign Charges d'Affaires Entertained at White House.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 11.—[Special.]—President and Mrs. Roosevelt entertained the ambassadors, ministers, and chargés d'affaires from foreign countries at dinner tonight. The dinner was served in the state dining room. Nine plateaus of mauve orchids were the chief decorations of a semi-circular table. In addition to these there were vases of white carnations and maiden-hair fern. Pots of ferns alternated with tall silver candelabra with white shades.

Directly in front of the president was the tall gold cup presented to him by the city of San Francisco. Almost a thousand orchids were used tonight in the White house, for besides the table decorations each woman received a corsage bouquet of mauve orchids and each man a boutonnière of green. The guests first assembled in the east room, where they were joined by the president and his family. The president took out the Baroness Hengelmüller and Mrs. Roosevelt went with the Austrian ambassador.

The guests present were the Austrian ambassador and his wife, the French ambassador and Mme. Jusserand, the German ambassador and baroness von Sternburg, the British ambassador and Lady Durand, the Brazilian ambassador and Mme. Nabuco, the Russian ambassador and Baroness Rosen, the Mexican ambassador and Mme. Casasus, the minister from Sweden, the Danish minister, the Haytian minister and Mme. Leger, the minister from Costa Rica, the Nicaraguan minister, the Siamese minister, the Chilean minister and Mme. Walker-Martinez, the Portuguese minister, the Cuban minister and Mme. Quesada, the Chinese minister, the Netherlands minister, the Bolivian minister and Mme. Calderon, the minister from Panama and Mme. Obaldia, the Guatemalan minister, the Persian minister, the Swiss minister, the minister from Argentina and Mme. Portela, the Colombian minister, the Peruvian minister and Mme. Pardo, the Turkish minister, the minister of the Dominican republic, the chargé d'affaires from Italy, the chargé d'affaires from Venezuela, the chargé d'affaires from Spain, the chargé d'affaires from Norway and Mme. Hauge, the chargé d'affaires from Japan, Secretary of State and Mrs. Root, Senator Frye, Senator and Mrs. Lodge, Senator and Mrs. McCreary, Representative Adams, Representative and Mrs. Howard, Representative Longworth, Capt. and Mrs. Cowles, Mrs. Cameron, Miss Roosevelt, Miss Carow, Miss Corinne Robinson, Miss Ethelberta Russell, and Maj. McCawley.

The secretary of the interior and Mrs. Hitchcock left Washington today for New York with their daughter, Miss Margaret Hitchcock. They will remain until after the funeral of Mrs. Hitchcock's brother, Dwight Collier, who died late yesterday afternoon.

DISPOSES OF LARGE ESTATE.

Mrs. Amelia Schloesser's Will Bequeaths Property Worth $922,000 to Relatives and Charity.

The will of Mrs. Amelia Schloesser, who died on Jan. 5 at her residence in Sheridan drive, was filed yesterday in the Probate court. The estate is valued at about $922,000, of which the real estate is worth $892,000. The real estate includes the Schloesser block, northwest corner of Adams and La Salle streets, which is leased to Charles B. Foote for ninety-nine years.

Valuable pictures painted by Henry M. Spread are bequeathed to Mrs. Schloesser's daughter, Amelia M. Spread. Other pictures painted by another daughter, Ida L. Thompson und von Colditz, are bequeathed to that daughter. A grand piano is to be given to the granddaughter who in the judgment of the executors proves to be the best pianist. All the rest of the household goods are to be divided equally among the three daughters.

The German Old People's home is to receive $1,000, the Uhlich Evangelical Lutheran Orphan asylum $1,000, and the Orphan Asylum at Herford, Germany, $250.

Mrs. Schloesser's children, Alfred G. Schloesser, Amelia L. Spread, Ida L. Thompson und von Colditz, and Alice H. Slayter will share equally the proceeds from the lease of the Schloesser block. At the death of any or all the children the shares revert to their descendants. All the rest of the estate is to be divided equally among the four children.

NEW CREED IN PORTO RICO.

Man Representing Himself as Spirit of John the Evangelist Has Following at Ponce.

A report of Manuel Paris, colporter to the American Tract society, states that in Ponce, Porto Rico, a false prophet has appeared, representing himself as the spirit of St. John the evangelist, preaching in the villages of the district.

At times he preaches some bible truth, at other times the contrary. He commands people who follow him to wear three crosses, hanging from their necks so that Satan may not carry them away. In this manner a great part of the country people follow him, 3,000 having left their houses and their labor.

At one service there met to hear him about 10,000 people.

CARSON PIRIE SCOTT & CO.
STATE AND MADISON STREETS.

Considerable Reductions in Men's Overcoats and Suits

IT is a fact widely understood and generally accepted that our clothing section comprises apparel that is distinctive for clever tailoring and correct style. And when we announce reduced prices it is a message that warrants prompt consideration from men who are discriminating—men to whom the price interest is of no moment unless it concerns garments that are imbued with the attributes of highest class tailoring. Here are the concrete facts: Second floor.

$30 and $35 Overcoats at $25.

Men's overcoats of fine St. George kersey, made in good conservative lengths, wool body lining and silk yokes, sleeve linings. Also the very swagger paletot, in fine light gray vicunas. These garments are products of fine tailors. Reduced from $30 and $35 to $25.

$25

$20 and $22.50 Overcoats at $15

Fancy tourist overcoats of fine Scotch effects, also the plain box coats of kersey and vicunas, both black and gray, garments of style and elegance, reduced from $20.00 and $22.50 to $15.00.

$22.50 and $25 Suits at $17.50

Men's suits of pure worsted, absolutely hand-tailored, and made especially for our own particular trade. Perfectly satisfactory as to fit and wearing qualities.

$17.50

Odds and ends of our regular $22.50 and $25.00 suits, all sizes in the assortment, but not in each style. Reduced to $17.50.

$18 and $20 Suits Reduced to $14.50

You will find some splendid values in fine worsted, cheviot and blue serge suits, which formerly sold at $18.00 and $20.00, all sizes. All reduced for prompt and decisive clearance to $14.50.

$3.75 Special inducement in men's trousers of fine pure worsteds, handsome patterns, perfect fitting, value to $7.50, sizes 31 to 50 waist, at **$3.75**

Young Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing at Specially Reduced Prices

THE same infinite care that characterizes the tailoring of our men's clothing is exercised in the production of our garments for young men, boys and children. Some clearing prices: Second floor.

Young Men's Suits

$12.50 for the popular "Fraternity" model suits for young men of fine worsteds and cassimeres and also fine blue serge, cut with that style and character which brings it up to the class of fine custom work; sizes 31 to 36 chest; values to $20. Reduced to $12.50.

Young Men's Overcoats

$12.50 for young men's overcoats of oxford gray, vicunas and fancy Scotch goods—garments of exceptionally good style; values to $20. Reduced to $12.50.

$5.00 for boys' double-breasted and Norfolk suits of fine all-wool materials, hand tailored and perfect fitting; many of them double seat and knees; sizes 8 to 16 years, value to $7.50; reduced to $5.00.

Boys' Overcoats

$6.75 for boys' overcoats, fancy Scotch goods, single and double breasted, plain and belted back, great values. Odds and ends of $12.50 values. Reduced to $6.75.

Little Boys' Suits

$5.00 for blouse suits for little boys, 3 to 10 years—fine gray worsteds, blue and brown cheviots, values that should not be overlooked, suits that sold up to $7.50, reduced to $5.00.

Little Boys' Overcoats

$5.00 for little boys' overcoats of fine all wool fabrics, well tailored, perfect fitting, made good and warm, formerly sold up to $7.50, sizes, 3 to 7 years, $5.00.

$8.50 and $10.00 Suits, $6.75

We have taken some lines of boys' fancy two-piece suits, consisting of all-wool worsteds, cheviots and serges, both Norfolk and double breasted styles, $8.50 to $10.00 suits, reduced to $6.75.

Bath Robes at $1.95: A Maker's Surplus

We purchased from one of the leading manufacturers of bath robes, at greatly reduced prices, an entire surplus line of blanket robes. These are all in first-class condition, well tailored and come in a great assortment of good patterns, including some very novel plaid effects. On sale at the extremely low price of $1.95.

$1.95

First floor.

Maker's Stock of Shirts: Very Special at $1.05

To make this January shirt sale the greatest ever attempted by us we arranged some months ago with one of the largest manufacturers in the country to take his entire end of the season stock of shirts in the better grades. This merchandise we are enabled to offer at greatly reduced figures. Every conceivable style in this season's shirt wear is represented and there is an endless variety of patterns to choose from. All neck sizes and sleeve lengths from 14 to 18. January sale price $1.05.

Suspenders

Men's fancy silk suspenders, every pair in good condition and a very large assortment to select from. What we ask for them is but half regular price, 25c.

Men's Hosiery

Men's "linen sole, heel and toe," Eiffel fast black, good weight cotton hose, made for wearing qualities only. Put up three pairs in a box for $1 a box.

Men's Eiffel Union Suits: A Surplus Stock—Half Price

The maker of Eiffel high-grade union suits sold us a surplus stock at about half real value. This is the consequence:

Men's union suits of merino and fine balbriggan, all sizes, per garment	95c	Men's union suits, including many different styles of fine combed Australian wool. All sizes; per garment, 2.45.	Men's union suits, all wool and merino in many different styles and sizes	$1.65

Men's Neckwear: A Stock-Reduction Sale

In order to reduce our stock of neckwear we are offering some very attractive bargains. We have taken 100 dozen ties from our better grade, these embracing all the season's best styles and patterns, and marked them at 35c.	35c	In addition we put on sale 50 dozen of our high-grade four-in-hands. Some of our best holiday lines are represented here. Our January sale price is 50c.	50c

Revised Prices on Misses' and Children's Coats and Suits

Fourth floor.

Misses' and junior coat suits, in fancy mixtures and plain cheviots, box and belted back, all lined coat, plaited skirt, sizes 12 to 18 years, reduced to $10.75.

$10.75

Misses' ¾ length coats in mixtures & plaids, loose back, double-breasted front, velvet collar, 14, 16, 18 yrs., reduced to $7.50.

Odds and ends and broken sizes of misses' ¾ length coats, in fancy mixtures, empire or box backs, velvet collar, very special at $9.75.

Children's Coats and Reefers

$12.50 for children's top coats. Gray and brown mixtures, sizes 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years.

$5.00 for children's long coats. Mixtures and plain colors, sizes 4, 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years.

Children's chinchilla reefers, all flannel lined, storm collar, belted back, sizes 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years, at $9.75.

The "Patrician" Shoe for Women: $3.50

Second floor.

FOR general outdoor wear, or for skating, the Patrician Special Shoe (like illustration) is ideal. Same model

For Misses and Girls

Leathers are velour, calf and enamel. A shoe built for service and comfort, **$3.50**

In Our Hand Sewed Section

There is a splendid variety of white, tan and black low shoes. If you are going South or to California you will find in liberal assortment footwear suited to these particular localities. Party slippers also.

Mandel Brothers

The new store for men—First floor, Wabash avenue.

A splendid suit *and* overcoat purchase: $25 values $15

IT is one of the end-of-the-season chances which come but seldom, but when they do, it is surely up to you. One of America's largest and most important makers offered us the remaining lines of winter suits and overcoats at a remarkable concession. It took us just fifteen minutes to decide—you'll take less time.

Note particularly that there are some fine blues and blacks included, and that every garment in the lot is rightly cut and in the season's most stylish materials—in fact, right up to Mandel's standard of clothes-building.

To these we have added the broken lines from our own sale at $20, thus giving a wide range for your choosing. The overcoats come in all lengths from 46 to 52 inches. Also a number of surtouts and paletots—medium and heavy weight. Plenty of blues, blacks and Oxfords. Sizes are broken, of course, but there's a fit for men of every proportion. Choice of the entire lot at only **$15**

Men's 2.50 to $3 fancy vests to clear at 1.15

And they're worth 2.50 to $3. Latest designs, latest cuts. Really three vests for the price of one—that's the offer in a word. Sizes 33 to 46. Just step inside the Wabash avenue entrance and a quick pick at 1.15.

Clearing boys' smartest clothing

SUCH savings on the best clothing should be taken advantage of in a hurry. No boys' clothing is quite so stylish as Mandel's; none more reliable. That's why the opportunities of this sale are so important to you. *First floor, Wabash avenue.*

8.50 overcoats at $5

Boys' 7.50, $8 and 8.50 ¾-length and medium overcoats, sizes three to nine years, now reduced to $5.

$22 overcoats at $15

Youths' $18, $20 and $22 overcoats, Chesterfield and tourist; sizes 16 to 22 years; now at $15.

Youths' $22 suits 14.50

Youths' 16.50 to $22 suits, new college style, blues and blacks excepted, sizes 16 to 20 years, 14.50.

Boys' suits 5.95 and 4.95

With plain and knickerbocker trousers, 6.50 to $9 values; these specially reduced to 5.95 and 4.95.

Boys' fine sweaters 1.45

Lambs' wool sweaters; sizes five to ten years; $2 to 2.50 values; price for this sale reduced to 1.45.

Flannel blouses at 1.50

Boys' $2 and 2.50 French flannel blouses; sizes seven to sixteen years; specially reduced to 1.50.

Clearing sale *of* men's underwear

AN open winter leaves us with heavier stocks than usual. Certain lines and all broken lots, no matter what the cost, must be disposed of at once. Hence the remarkable price concessions in these representative items. *Main floor, just inside State street entrance.*

Men's fancy half hose 35¢

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